

# FOR A MEMORIAL DAY OBSERVANCE

COMMITTEE FROM SPRAGUE POST  
G. A. R. EXTENDS AN INVITATION TO ALL TO TAKE PART IN THE EXERCISES

To the Good People of Klamath County—The undersigned, committee of arrangements appointed by F. B. Sprague Post No. 26, Grand Army of the Republic, in view of the near approach of the day annually set apart by the several states and by our order for a suitable commemoration of the struggles and sacrifices of the soldiers of the Republic in saving the nation from impending dissolution, and in memory of those who lost their lives in that awful conflict, beg leave to address a few words to you regarding what we deem a fit observance of that solemn service.

While it has been a well established custom of the Grand Army to yearly pay a tribute of respect and fraternal regard to the memory of our comrades who have preceded us to the Great Beyond, by formally decorating their graves with flowers, it is no less true that the great body of citizens, regardless of party or condition, imbued with a love of country which only awaits the country's necessities for proof of its existence, are ready to join with us in commemoration of these hallowed ceremonies. It therefore affords us great pleasure and profound satisfaction to extend a hearty invitation to one and all to fittingly observe this occasion on the 30th of the present month, and we venture to extend a special invitation to all of those who have borne arms in behalf of their country, including the soldiers of Indian Wars, veterans of the Spanish-American War, and, if there be any in the county, of the Mexican War, and in a spirit of broad patriotism, and in recognition of a complete restoration of the Union for which we fought, we also invite the veteran members of the late Confederate army who live in our midst, and whose daily life gives evidence of devotion to the welfare of our beloved country. We hope, too, that the members of the rising generation—the children of the public schools—the future hope of the nation—will without exception take zealous pleasure in participating in these ceremonies.

In extending this invitation to the public it is a great pleasure to be assured that our sisters, wives and daughters of the Relief Corps, who are in hearty accord with us, and are rendering every possible assistance in promoting the success of the movement now on foot to make the observance of the custom memorable. Respectfully submitted,  
O. A. STEARNS,  
E. B. RAMSBY,  
C. W. SHERMAN, Sr.,  
Committee.

## BRINGS UP TOWN IN A HURRY

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The growth of the new communities which have sprung up in many parts of the West as a result of the activities of the Reclamation Service is remarkably rapid. Villages are established as soon as the farm lands are opened to settlement, and these in a surprisingly short time become business centers of no small importance.

A case in point is shown in the new town of Newell, South Dakota. The townsite, which was Government land in the Belle Fourche Irrigation Project, was formally opened by a sale of lots at auction on October 20, 1910. Notwithstanding the day was cold and stormy, 107 lots were sold, which netted the Reclamation Fund the sum of \$31,215.

The development of this new town in the center of a district which until a year ago was a wild prairie, has been astonishing, and the Secretary of the Interior, at the request of the citizens and a number of people who desire to establish in business there, has decided to hold another sale of lots.

## PORTLANDERS TO ATTEND ROSEBURG'S BIG AFFAIR

A committee of Roseburg business men who went to Portland to "boost" for the third annual strawberry festival, to be held in Roseburg, have returned. The members of the committee are much encouraged over their visit to the metropolis, and predict that several hundred Portland people will visit Roseburg on Portland day.

The committee personally visited every wholesale establishment in the city. No less than 125 tickets were pledged, thus assuring a special train which will be operated under the direction of General Passenger Agent McMurray, who will accompany the party. With 125 tickets sold, the committee believes that fully 300 Portland people will take advantage of

the special train, and at the same time enjoy the festivities. The committee are loud in their praise of the treatment accorded them by the citizens of Portland. The Portland Commercial Club was thrown open to the visitors, and a committee of Portland gentlemen was appointed to assist the Roseburg men in their travels about the city.—Umpqua Valley News.

## RAND CONCERT A GRAND SUCCESS

It's all settled now, Klamath Falls has a band of which any city in the United States could be proud of, and from this on there's nothing in the town that is too good for the Klamath Falls Military Band.

The band rendered its first concert Friday night to a crowded house, and the murmurs of approval that ran through the audience from the time the grand "Chicago Tribune" march had been played till the encore for the last number was finished, were of the most flattering kind. Director Snow and his musicians have demonstrated to all that they understand and appreciate real music, and that they are fully qualified to play even the most difficult compositions in delightful harmony.

While all of the numbers were good, "The Story of a Flower," selections from "The Bohemian Girl," scenes from "The Burgomaster" and the "Swedish Wedding March" took the fancy of the audience especially, while the grand fantasia "My Old Kentucky Home" at the conclusion of the program was followed by a veritable storm of applause. This was one of the prettiest selections of the evening's entertainment and included in it were variations for all instruments.

As a closing feature the band struck up "The Star Spangled Banner," and while the strains of the grand old air filled the house and the American flag was lowered, the audience arose as one man, and loudly applauded with true patriotic fervor. Following is the program:

1. March..... Chicago Tribune Chambers.
  2. Overture..... "Orpheus" Offenbach.
  3. (a) Valse..... Prayer and Passion. Grim.
  - (b) New Flower Song..... "The Story of a Flower." Kneff.
  4. Grand Selection..... Bohemian Girl. Balfe.
  5. March..... Regimental Pride. Heed.
  6. Scenes from The Burgomaster. Soderman.
  7. (a) Swedish Wedding March.
  - (b) "Idyl, The Glow Worm." Lincke.
  8. "Grand Fantasia"..... Old Kentucky Home. Dahlbey
- (With variations for all instruments)

## "ITS THE LITTLE THINGS" THAT TAKE OUR PILES

We are a very large nation, if we have not realized it before. Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia has proven it to us with figures. It was on the floor of the house that he exploited his mathematics, and some of his statements are impressive.

He said the jewelry we buy in a single year would more than twice pay the cost of the Panama canal. We spent \$25,000,000 last year on chewing gum. The candy bill for the same period was \$78,000,000. The soda water bill in this country, where fizz fascinates as in no other land on earth, ran up a huge total of \$320,000,000.

The returns for the nickelodeons are not Mr. Moore's statistics. Nor is there a single figure about red lemonade. But even with these important omissions from our national luxury bill, Mr. Moore has even if his figures be only approximately true, made out a strong case as to the immensity of the republic. With a chewing gum bill of \$25,000,000 a year, we are a ponderous people.—Portland Journal.

## UNCLE SAM HAS AN EVEN CHANCE; NO MORE

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Officials of the department of the interior say that the government has an even chance, no more, of retaining the \$50,000 worth of lands comprised in the Alaskan Cunningham claims. It is stated that the onus of proof of fraud in connection with the claims is on the government, and it may be impossible to show definite collusion.

## FRESHMEN ARE THE BEST BAT AND BALL ARTISTS

CORVALLIS, May 4.—The O. A. C. Freshmen, in their little green caps, won the interclass baseball championship Saturday by defeating the mighty Seniors with a score of 11 to 7. The game was exciting from start to finish, though the strenuous rooting on the side lines may have had something to do with the numerous errors scored against each side.

## MANY INDICTMENTS ARE RETURNED

ROOSEVELT, BY HIS EDITORIALS, HAS AROUSED THE ENMITY OF THE ENTIRE SOCIALISTIC PRESS—PROTEST PLANNED

LOS ANGELES, May 5.—The grand jury reconvened at 10 o'clock to complete the work commenced yesterday. Judge Walter Bordwell, who, it is announced, will try the McNamara case, is waiting here to be available.

Twenty-two indictments were returned by the grand jury at 11 o'clock today, twenty-one of which named victims of the Times explosion. The twenty-second indictment referred to the Llewellyn explosion.

The names of those against whom they were returned were not given. It is believed that the first twenty-one are against the McNamara brothers, and the twenty-second against James McNamara and Ortee McManigal.

## Roosevelt Arouses Ire

CHICAGO, May 5.—Socialists are aroused at Roosevelt's editorial on the McNamara case. The entire socialistic press of the country is to inaugurate a campaign of protest. The Daily Socialist, in an editorial, says:

"Roosevelt butted into the Moyer-Haywood case, and became infamous, referring to the kidnapped miners as 'undesirable citizens.' He is now butting into the McNamara case, trying to 'shoo' the workers away from their bounden duty to rescue their imprisoned fellow-workers."

## Defense to Use Alibis

LOS ANGELES, May 5.—Volleys of alibis will be the defense used by Jas. McNamara's attorneys, who are bending all efforts to show that it was impossible for him to have been here within twelve hours of the time when the Times building was blown up.

The Burns men are making efforts to combat this. They are keeping a close watch on the witnesses supposed to have seen McNamara the night of the explosion or immediately prior to it.

## SPOKANE BREWERS MAY STRIKE SOON

SPOKANE, May 5.—Unless the increase in wages asked for by members of the local Brewers', Bottlers' and Drivers' unions are granted soon by the brewery and bottling owners a walkout which will effect over 300 men will be called. A three-year contract with the owners expired Monday, and at a meeting Sunday afternoon the employees decided upon a demand for an increase of \$4 a week for the drivers, \$3 a week for the brewery workers, and \$2 a week for the bottlers.

The employees have expressed themselves as being willing to compromise with the men on their demands, but will not meet them in full, while the union men are equally decided that they must receive their requested raises in full.

Claude C. Raf, as spokesman of an arbitration committee representing the unions, will go before the owners Monday afternoon, at which time an ultimatum will be delivered.

## ROSEBURG IS ASSURED OF GAS FOR RESIDENTS

ROSEBURG, May 5.—The W. F. Boardman company of San Francisco, who were recently awarded a gas franchise in Roseburg, have filed with the city recorder a certified check for \$5,000, as a guarantee of fulfilling their agreement to install in this city a gas system costing \$50,000. Having already secured a site for this gas plant it is expected that they will begin active operations thereon at a very early date. The plant is to be in operation within eight months.

## AGRICULTURAL DEPT. TO REGULATE GRAZING

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The United States Supreme Court today sustained the power of the Secretary of Agriculture to regulate the grazing of sheep and cattle on forest reserve land. The opinion was read by Judge Lamar. It covered three test cases appealed to the highest court in an effort to settle a great mass of litigation that has arisen over the right to graze on the reserves.

## MUST SEEK CONSENT TO USE ANOTHER'S PHOTO

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The supreme court of the United States has upheld the constitutionality of the New York statute forbidding the use of a photograph or name of another for trade or advertising purposes without the permission of the subject.

G. A. Schencker, formerly of this city, arrived Thursday from Portland to spend a few days in the city. He is here looking after a timber claim which he filed on and also visiting his son, Carl.

## CLAN GATHERS TO INTER ITS DEAD

O'HARA'S WANDERING IRISHMEN ARE AGAIN NEAR THE NATION. AL CAPITAL—STORY OF THE CLAN AND ITS PEOPLE

ATLANTA, Ga., May 5.—Beyond the outskirts of the city where the fortified hills look down upon the Chattahoochee, a magic city has risen, a city of tents and wagon tops, a city of an army encampment were it not that the tents are tattered and battered and of many colors, and filled to overflowing with laughing children. The canvas-topped wagons and the dogs, the ponies staked out under a hundred trees, gives the magic city the appearance of one of the caravans of the plains. That guess is nearest right. It is the Atlanta camp of the Clan O'Hara, its nearest approach to a "home."

The clan has been gathering for a week, and on a strange mission. It is its annual home coming to bury its dead. And there are many this year, an even dozen children and their elders having passed away since last May to the last camp ground. Some died on the road in a far-off state; some of the babies in their mother's arms beneath the battered canvas of the family wagon. And each, as soon as the priest from the nearest town had sped the departed soul, was sent home to Atlanta to wait in a cemetery vault the coming of the clan.

"Gypsies?" No! Neither old Thomas O'Hara nor any of his kinsmen will accept the classification bestowed impartially upon all who live upon the high road and sleep at the Inn of the Silver Moon. They are Irish all, sturdy, black haired men of the North of Ireland, and their wives are as Irish as themselves. They may have been born under the stars and stripes—the younger of the clan—but the North of Ireland brogue of their fathers clings to their tongues, and he still swears by their Irish saints. The Clan O'Hara has been gathering in Atlanta for its burial of the dead for twenty years and more. Once it was but a family of Irish horse traders whose head died near the growing town, and who was laid to rest in Oakland cemetery. When the first death was followed by another, he, too, was laid in the O'Hara lot. Then a woman of the clan followed her husband, and a child or two was added to the little group under Oakland's sod.

Then the O'Haras bought a larger lot—a half acre of ground, and avowed that never a member of the clan should rest separated from his fellows. The O'Haras are half a thousand now, men, women and children, and never a one is too far away when spring transforms the Southern woods to green to turn his caravan toward Georgia and trade his way back to the only reunion the clan recognizes.

Promptly at noon the other day the Clan O'Hara, 500 strong, wended its way from the camp near the river to the Church of the Immaculate Conception. They did not ride the horses of the camp nor drive the buggies so plentiful among them. They rode in carriages, for every undertaker and liverman was drawn upon, and they gave little appearance of being the Bohemian strollers that they are. Suits of sober black and gowns of finest silk were there, with here and there a shawl woven in old Ireland, and worth its weight in silver.

Jeweled crucifixes and rosaries of rare value were worn by the women, and upon many a man's finger shown a diamond worth his earnings for a year. They are not poor, these O'Haras, as the bankers of the South will tell you. Though they are homeless, they own land in large tracts; though they sleep in tents, more than one Atlanta building is leased from the captain of the clan. Their two decades of horse trading have been profitable ones.

The services at the old Church of the Immaculate Conception were as impressive as half a score of priests and acolytes could make them, a solemn requiem for the dead and a prayer for the living. The old church, founded by Irish Catholics, and still their favorite house of worship here, has always been the scene of the O'Hara funerals.

The names of the twelve who have died in the past year were recited and masses said for the soul of each. They were Baby Michael, who died at Madison, Ky., on May 16; Bridget Sherlock, whose end came in Atlanta last May; Patrick McNamara, who passed at Montgomery, Ala., in September; Thos. Carroll, who breathed his last on the road while the camp was pitched in South Georgia; Jas. O'Hara, killed under a train near Savannah two days before Christmas, and six others, all young or old members of the clan, and all equally honored at the end.

From the old church the funeral passed on to the cemetery, where succeeding years have crowded the graves of anti-bellum Georgians until

there is scarce stepping room between them. But toward a corner of the land, on a sunlit hillside, the plot of the Clan O'Hara, stretches down toward the valley, and there is room for many a wanderer yet to lie down in his last sleep. The twelve bodies were taken from the O'Hara vault and each interred separately in its grave. The vault stands always ready to receive a member of the clan, but its cold stone walls and mouldy crypts are not for those who wander beneath the stars and sleep where the rivers sing.

It has always been the warm brown earth for the O'Haras; out under the open sky, with the spring grass for a coverlet; the mating birds for choir-leaders. There they sleep—a long line of several generations row, and there will their brothers and their sons finally come to join them.

E. W. Roberts, a prosperous ranchman from Poe Valley, was in town on business Saturday.

## NOTICE

To the Stockholders of the Klamath Water Users' Association:

You are hereby notified that the annual meeting of the Klamath Water Users Association, which annual meeting is for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may regularly be brought before said meeting, has been called and will be held in the Houston opera house in the city of Klamath Falls, Klamath County, Oregon, on Friday, the 3d day of June, 1911, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m.

You are hereby further notified that at the annual meeting of stockholders of the Klamath Water Users' Association to be held in the Houston opera house in said city on the 2d day of June, 1911, there will be introduced for the approval or rejection of the stockholders of said association the following amendment to Section 1, Article III, of the By-Laws of said Association as amended and adopted June 3d, 1910, said amendment to read as follows:

That Section 1, Article III, of the By-Laws as amended be amended to read as follows:

Section 1. The exercise of the corporate powers of this association and the management of its affairs shall be vested in a board of five directors elected to serve one year.

You are hereby notified that at the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Klamath Water Users Association to be held in the Houston opera house in the city of Klamath Falls on the 2d day of June 2d, 1911, there will be introduced for the approval or rejection of the stockholders of the said association the following amendment to Section 5, Article III, of the By-Laws of the said association:

That Section 5, Article III, of the By-Laws be amended to read as follows:

Section 5. Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held the first Saturday of each month. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the president or by any two members of the board. Such call shall be in writing and signed by either the president or any two directors, and shall state the time of such proposed meeting and the nature of the business to be transacted thereat. Such written call shall be filed with the secretary, who shall thereupon, immediately and at least four days before the time fixed for such meeting, mail, postpaid, to the president and each member of the board a copy of such call. If the secretary fail or refuse to mail copies thereof, as above provided, then either the president, if he issue the call, or any one of the members who issued the call, may make and mail copies of the call with like effect as if done by the secretary.

At all meetings of the BOARD OF DIRECTORS, THREE DIRECTORS SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM for the transaction of business. All meetings of the board of directors shall be held at the office of the association.

Klamath Water Users Association. Albert E. Elder, Sec'y. 4-27-6-1 r

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT OF BYLAWS OF KLAMATH WATER USERS ASSOCIATION.

To the Stockholders of the Klamath Water Users' Association—You are hereby notified that the following amendment to the by-laws of the Klamath Water Users' Association will be presented at the regular meeting of the stockholders of said corporation to be held on Friday, June 2d, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., to-wit:

Amend Section One of Article IV of the By-Laws of said corporation to read as follows:

## ARTICLE IV.

Sec. 1. Revenues necessary for the accomplishment of the purposes of this association shall be raised by an assessment from time to time against the shares of stock thereof appurtenant to land for which water is available from the canals of the Klamath project. No assessment shall be declared by the board of directors to be

days after the time of levying the assessment."

S. H. GRIFFITH.  
Date of first publication, April 27, 1911.  
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## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Klamath County.

In the Matter of the Estate of Franc L. Lee, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Fred W. Eglington, the administrator of the estate of Franc L. Lee, deceased, has rendered and filed and presented for settlement the final account of his administration of said estate; and that Saturday, May 20, 1911, at 2 o'clock p. m., at the court room of the above entitled court in Klamath Falls, Oregon, at the county court house, has been duly appointed by said court as the time and place for the settlement of said account, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and make objections to said account and contest the same.

Dated at Klamath Falls, Oregon, this 14th day of April, 1911.

First publication April 20, 1911.  
FRED W. EGLINGTON,  
Administrator of Said Estate.  
D. V. KUYKENDALL, Attorney for Estate. 4-20-6-20 r

## NOTICE OF SALE OF SWAMP LANDS

Notice is hereby given that the State Land Board will receive sealed bids until 10 o'clock a. m., May 29, 1911, for the following described swamp lands, to-wit:

SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 6, T. 39 S., R. 8 E.  
Lots 7 and 8 in Sec. 4; E 1/2 of NE 1/4 and lots 4 and 5 in Sec. 9; SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 11; NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 14; N 1/2 of N 1/2 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Sec. 15, all in T. 41 S., R. 8 E.

SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 in Sec. 2; W 1/2 of SE 1/4 and W 1/2 of Sec. 3; all of Sec. 4; NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, S 1/2 of N 1/2, SE 1/4 and NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 5; NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 and N 1/2 of Sec. 6; NE 1/4, S 1/2 of NW 1/4 and S 1/2 of Sec. 8; all of Sec. 9; all of Sec. 10; the N 1/2 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Sec. 14; the N 1/2 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Sec. 15; the N 1/2 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Sec. 17; the N 1/2 and lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 in Sec. 18; all in T. 41 S., R. 9 E.

All bids must be accompanied by a regularly executed application to purchase, and at least one-fifth of the amount offered.

No bid of less than \$20 per acre will be considered.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Applications and bids should be addressed to G. G. Brown, clerk State Land Board, Salem, Oregon, and marked "Application and bid to purchase swamp lands."

G. G. BROWN,  
Clerk State Land Board.  
Dated March 17, 1911. 3-23-5-25 r

## SALE OF TIMBER

Portland, Ore., April 15, 1911.

Sealed bids, marked outside "Bid, Timber Sale Application, April 1, 1911, Crater," and addressed to the District Forester, Forest Service, Portland, Oregon, will be received up to and including the 18th day of May, 1911, for all the merchantable dead timber, standing or down, and all the live timber marked for cutting by the forest officer located on an area to be definitely designated by the forest officer before cutting, begins, including about 1,417 acres on the watershed of Seven Mile Creek, in part of NE 1/4, N 1/2 of SE 1/4, W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4, and W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 1; part of the S 1/2 of N 1/2, and the S 1/2 of Sec. 2; N 1/2, part of N 1/2 of SW 1/4, part of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, NE 1/4 of SE 1/4, part of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 and part of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 11; W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4, NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, W 1/2 of NW 1/4, NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, and W 1/2 of W 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 12; SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 13, and part of E 1/2 of E 1/2 of Sec. 14, T. 33 S., R. 6 E., W. M., within the Crater National Forest, Oregon, estimated to be 12,925,000 feet B. M. of live and 8,000 feet B. M. of dead Western yellow pine, 2,103,000 feet B. M. of live white fir, 495,000 feet B. M. of live Douglas fir, and 327,000 feet B. M. of live sugar pine, saw timber, log scale, more or less. No bid of less than \$3.25 per thousand feet B. M. for live and dead Western yellow pine and sugar pine, \$2.25 per thousand feet B. M. for Douglas fir and \$1.35 per thousand feet B. M. for white fir will be considered, and a deposit of \$2,000, payable to the order of the First National bank of Portland, Oregon, must be sent to that bank for each bid submitted to the District Forester. Timber upon valid claims is exempted from sale. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. For further information and regulations governing sales address Forest Supervisor, Medford, Oregon.

F. B. AMES,  
4-20-5-18 r Acting District Forester