

LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern:

That the undersigned Administrator of the estate of John D. Hurst, late of Marion County, Oregon, deceased, has filed his final account of said estate in the County Court for Marion County, Oregon, and that the said Court has set the same to be heard on the 26th day of April, 1902, at one (1) o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court, in the County Court house at the city of Salem, in Marion County, Oregon.

And that said final account and any objections thereto will be heard and passed upon by the said Court at said time and place.

Dated at Salem, Marion County, Oregon, this 25th day of March, 1902.

FRED HURST,

Administrator of the estate of John D. Hurst, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Notice to the creditors of Gilbert Bros. and A. T. Gilbert is hereby given that the Circuit Court of Marion County, State of Oregon, has heretofore, to-wit: on the 15th day of November, 1901, made an order extending the time to the 15th day of May, 1902, for the creditors to present their claims to the Receiver of said Gilbert Bros. and A. T. Gilbert, appointed in the case pending in said Circuit Court, wherein Tilton Ford, as Executor of the last will and testament of Wm. Cosper, deceased, was plaintiff, and A. T. Gilbert and others were defendants; and that said Court, did on the 11th day of March, 1902, make an order requiring said Receiver to publish notice of said order. Each and all of said creditors are therefore notified to present their claims to the undersigned Receiver on or before the 15th day of May, 1902, at the bank of Ladd & Bush, in the city of Salem, Marion County, Oregon.

CLAUD GATCHE,

3-28-5t.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern:

That the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Marion County, Oregon, as the Executor of the last will and testament of Theodore Gervais, late of Marion County, Oregon, deceased.

All persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make payment to the undersigned. And all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified according to law, to the undersigned at the law office of Tilton Ford, W. M. Kaiser, and W. T. Slater, at the city of Salem, in Marion County, Oregon, within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 25th day of March, 1902.

W. M. KAISER,

Executor of the last will and testament of Theodore Gervais, deceased.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO WITHDRAW INSURANCE DEPOSIT BY THE LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Oregon, relative to insurance companies, notice is hereby given that the LION FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, of London, England, desiring to cease doing business within the State of Oregon, intends to withdraw its deposits with the Treasurer of said State and will, if no claim against said Company shall be filed with the Insurance Commissioner within six months from the 24th day of January, 1902, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice, withdraw its deposit from the State Treasurer.

LION FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD.

By Wm. J. Landers,

Manager for the Pacific Coast.

Dated at San Francisco, this 6th day of Jan. 1902.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO WITHDRAW INSURANCE DEPOSIT BY THE UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE CO.

To Whom It May Concern:

In accordance with the requirements of the laws of the State of Oregon, relative to insurance companies, notice is hereby given that the UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York, New York, desiring to cease doing business within the State of Oregon, intends to withdraw its deposit with the Treasurer of said State and will, if no claim against said Company shall be filed with the Insurance Commissioner within six months from the 24th day of February, 1902, the same being the date of the first publication of this notice, withdraw its deposit from the State Treasurer.

UNITED STATES FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

By W. W. UNDERHILL,

President.

Dated at New York, this 7th day of February, 1902.

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NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Marion, his final report and account as administrator of the estate of Seth R. Hammer, deceased, and that Saturday, the 17th day of May, 1902, at 11 o'clock a. m., has been fixed by said Court for hearing the same.

All persons interested in said estate and desiring to make objections to said final report and account are hereby required to appear in said Court at said day and hour in the County Court house in said County and State, and show cause, if any there be, why said final report and account should not be allowed.

JOHN HUGHES,

Administrator of the estate of Seth R. Hammer, deceased.

Salem, April 15, 1902.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas A. Wilson, deceased, by the Honorable County Court of the State of Oregon for Marion County, and that he has duly qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present them to the proper

vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice to the undersigned administrator at the office of the superintendent of the State Insane Asylum at Salem, Marion County, Oregon. Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 11th day of April, 1902.

J. F. CALBREATH,
Administrator of the estate of Thomas A. Wilson, deceased.

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CITATION.

In the County Court for Marion County, Oregon.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph W. Kirk, Infant Son of Peter Kirk, Deceased, and Matilda M. Kirk, His Guardian.

To the Next of Kin of Joseph W. Kirk, and to All Persons interested in the Estate of said Joseph W. Kirk, a Minor:

Whereas, on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1902, the above entitled Court made an order fixing the time and place for the next of kin of said ward, and all persons interested in the estate of said minor, Joseph W. Kirk, to appear and show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian, Matilda M. Kirk, to sell certain real estate belonging to said ward, Joseph W. Kirk, at private sale, of which said order the following is a true, full and correct copy, to-wit:

In the County Court for Marion County, Oregon.

In the matter of the Guardianship of Joseph W. Kirk, Infant Son of Peter Kirk, Deceased, and Matilda M. Kirk, His Guardian.

Now, on this 21st day of April, A. D. 1902, this cause coming on for hearing upon the petition of Matilda M. Kirk, for an order permitting her to sell at private sale, as guardian, the following real property belonging to the estate of said minor, Joseph W. Kirk, to-wit: A one-ninth interest in all decedent's (Peter Kirk's) undivided one-third interest in a certain six acre tract of land, at Russellville, Multnomah County, Oregon, appraised at \$186.90; and particularly described as an undivided one-half interest in the following tract: Beginning at a stake 11.662 chains west along the base line and 15.65-100 south of the northeast corner of section four (4) in T. 1 S. R. 2 E., of the Willamette Meridian; running thence south 751 4-10 feet more or less to a stake in the north line of the Benj. Starr D. L. C., and distant 510 feet west of the northeast corner of said Starr D. L. C., thence north 89 degrees 51 min. west along the north line of said Starr Claim 682 11-100 feet more or less to a stake, thence north and parallel with the east line of the tract herein described 749 feet more or less to a stake; thence east and parallel with the base line 682 11-100 feet more or less to the place of beginning, containing 11 75-100 acres more or less. Also the following: Commencing at a point 10 48-100 chains west of the northeast corner of the Benj. Starr D. L. C., thence west along the north line of said claim 7.87 chains; thence south 2.33 chains; thence east 7.98 chains; thence north 2.32 chains to the place of beginning, containing 1.84 acres of land, more or less, together with the tenements and hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, situate in Multnomah County, State of Oregon.

Also the one-ninth interest in and to the following described premises: Two hundred acres of the Home Farm of Peter Kirk, deceased, in Marion County, Oregon, to be divided and measured off, the same by a line drawn east and west across said farm parallel to the north line of said farm, as near as may be done in order to set off the said 200 acres; said home farm being specifically described as follows: Beginning at the northeast corner of the St. Paul Catholic Mission Claim 2.79 chains west of the southeast corner of section 18, in Township 4 South, Range 2 West; and running thence south 88 3-4 degrees, east 45.58 chains, and north 44.60 chains; and west 69.68 chains; south 26.4 degrees, west 40.10 chains; and south 66.4 degrees, east 37.25 chains, and north 26.4 degrees, east 7.75 chains, and south 88 3-4 degrees, east to the place of beginning, containing 378 acres, more or less, and being a part of the Donation Claim No. 41, in Township 4 South, Range 2 West, as designated upon the map of public surveys, all situate in Marion County, Oregon.

Also a one-ninth interest in a certain warehouse and weighing scales, in St. Paul, Marion County, Oregon, which were devised and bequeathed to R. E. Kirk by Peter Kirk, deceased, and which were appraised at the sum of \$25.00 in the settlement of said estate. It is considered and ordered by the Court, that the 21st day of May, 1902, be fixed as the time for hearing said petition, and that said guardian cause to be published in the Weekly Oregon Statesman for three successive weeks, a copy of this order directing the next of kin of said ward and all persons interested in the estate of said ward to appear before this Court on the said 21st day of May, A. D. 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, to show cause why a license should not be granted to said guardian Matilda M. Kirk to sell said described real estate belonging to said ward Joseph W. Kirk, at private sale.

JOHN H. SCOTT,
County Judge.

Now therefore, in the name of the State of Oregon you and each of you are hereby required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, at the Court room thereof, in the County Court house at Salem, in the County of Marion, State of Oregon, on Wednesday, the 21st day of May, A. D. 1902, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petition of Matilda M. Kirk should not be granted, permitting her as guardian of the person and estate of Joseph W. Kirk, a minor, to sell the real property described in said order.

Witness the Hon. John H. Scott, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Marion, with seal of said Court affixed this 21st day of April, A. D. 1902.

Attest: W. W. HALL, Clerk.

(Seal.)

Heads Should Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va. who writes "Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches. I had suffered from for two years." Cure Headache, Constipation, Biliousness. 25c at Dr. St. John's Drug Stores.

"Agents' Authority to Sell"—Real Estate blanks, at the Statesman Job Office.

PARTITION OF A BIG FARM

Judge Boise Yesterday Rendered A Decision

A CASE THAT HAS BEEN IN LITIGATION FOR SOME TIME ENDED BY THE CIRCUIT COURT—REFEREES TO BE NAMED.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

Judge R. P. Boise, of the second department of the State Circuit Court, yesterday rendered a decree in favor of the plaintiff in the case of Mary A. Sweet, plaintiff, vs. Allie G. Farnham, et al., defendants. This is a case that has been in litigation for several months past and was brought by the plaintiff for the purpose of having a 267 acre tract of land, situated near Marion, partitioned among the heirs of the estate of H. D. Osterhout, deceased, but was opposed by the defendants in the contention that the administration of the estate had not been closed up to the time of the filing of the suit. The principal point in contention was as to whether one of the heirs, E. R. Osterhout, had received an advance of \$2000 as a portion of his share of the estate, which point the court decided, according to the testimony submitted, in the affirmative and held, in the order that the plaintiff was in possession of the property as tenant in common, and that the suit for partition was not prematurely brought. The court appointed three referees to meet with the surveyor and apportion the property equally among the several heirs. E. A. Turner was the attorney for the plaintiff in the suit, and A. O. Condit for the defendants.

The argument in the case of Otto Hansen, plaintiff, vs. Clara P. Bray, et al., defendants, an action to foreclose a mechanics' lien upon property belonging to the defendants to collect the sum of \$400 alleged to be due the plaintiff for mechanical labor performed and materials furnished in making improvements upon said property, the testimony in which case was taken on Monday, was concluded yesterday; the case submitted and taken under advisement by the court.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES

SUPT. J. H. ACKERMAN HAS CALLED FOR BIDS FOR SUPPLYING BOOKS.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

State Superintendent J. F. Ackerman, of the State Board of Education, is sending a circular letter of information to the leading book dealers and publishers of the United States, calling attention to the public school laws of the State, and inviting bids for a large quantity of books, as per list attached. The list of books was prepared from lists selected by the Presidents of the several State Normal Schools, and the Presidents of the State University and Oregon Agricultural College. The circular letter is accompanied by a blank form of bid to be used in making a bid by the publishers. The text of the letter is as follows:

"In compliance with the laws of Oregon now in force, concerning the adoption of library books for use in the public schools of Oregon, a copy of which I mail you under separate cover, I hereby invite bids for the wholesale, retail and mailing price of each book in the list of library books herewith submitted. Said prices to be in force for two years from July 1, 1902.

"1. The wholesale price is a price to a school board that orders from a publisher or dealer at any one time, books amounting to \$10 or more, or twelve or more of the same title, said books to be delivered to any part of the State of Oregon, transportation prepaid by the publisher or dealer.

"2. The retail price is the price to a school board that orders from a publisher or dealer at any one time, books amounting to less than \$10 or less than twelve books of the same title, said books to be delivered to any part of the State of Oregon, transportation prepaid by the publisher or dealer.

"3. The mailing price is the wholesale or retail price delivered.

"4. All bids must be sent to J. H. Ackerman, Salem, Oregon, to be opened by the State Board of Education at 1 o'clock p. m., May 31, 1902.

"5. Contracts for furnishing library books will be granted to the lowest responsible bidder; but the State Board of Education reserves the right to reject or accept any or all bids or any part thereof.

"6. The price in each instance will be per schedule thereto attached and made a part thereof. All bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the order of J. H. Ackerman, superintendent of public instruction, in the sum of \$500, to be forfeited to the State of Oregon, in case the bidder fails or refuses within ten days, after the bids are awarded, to enter into a contract."

SHOT BY HUNTERS

MRS. EPLEY, OF JEFFERSON, IS SERIOUSLY HURT BY TWO CARELESS MEN.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

Mrs. Frank Epley, while pursuing her household duties in her home about one-half mile from Jefferson, on Sunday morning last, was struck in the fleshy part of the arm by a stray shot from a rifle or revolver, in the hands of either a Mr. Cooper, one of the neighbors, or a young man from Portland, known as "Dutch Fritz," which inflicted a very painful wound.

Mrs. Epley was attending to her dining room work, on last Sunday morning, when she suddenly heard the report of a firearm and simultaneously experienced a sharp twinge in her arm. Upon examination it was found she had been struck by a bullet which had entered through the window leaving a

perfectly round hole in the window pane about one and one-half inches in diameter. It developed that two young men, a Mr. Cooper, who lives on the place adjoining that of the Epleys, and a young man from Portland, known as "Dutch Fritz," were either out hunting or target shooting, and had fired the shot which took effect in Mrs. Epley's arm. Several shots were evidently fired, for each of the young men blamed it on to the other, but it is not considered that the injury was committed intentionally but instead the result of a careless and indiscriminate shooting.

At last reports the ball had not been extracted and the lady was experiencing much suffering from the wound. It was feared that blood poisoning would set in, and the Epleys yesterday sent for Dr. Staples, of this city, to come to Jefferson and make an examination of the patient's wound, and administer to her relief.

HE LIKES OREGON

A MINNESOTA MAN WHO IS ADVERTISING SALEM IN HIS HOME STATE.

(From Wednesday's Statesman.)

The following clipping is taken from the Sherburne, Minn., Advance: "Frank A. Day, of Fairmount, was greeting friends in town on Saturday evening, while en route to St. Paul. In speaking of the West, Mr. Day says in his opinion if a man is looking for big profits in land values the country round about Salem, Oregon, is the best place to invest. Land within three to ten miles of the capital city, can be bought for about \$30 to \$55 per acre, and in his opinion it will reach the \$100 in a very short time.

The gentleman quoted is Hon. Frank A. Day, ex-Lieutenant Governor of Minnesota, who visited with Frank Davey and family last month and was delighted with the prospects which he saw in a ride through the country surrounding Salem.

This is about the best advertisement this section of the country has yet received in any part of the United States east of the Rocky Mountains, and when gentlemen of Gov. Day's standing speak in that way, good is sure to result from it.

PECULIAR AND PERTINENT.

Tetra cotia sleepers are in use on Japanese railways. The increased cost is compensated for by the greater resistance of decay.

In the town of Passaic, N. J., two little girls have had noses and costs entered up against them to the amount of \$87.25 for the crime of keeping pet robins in a cage.

A gold plate which Charles Bonaparte pawned in order to pay the traveling expenses of his son, Napoleon, to the military school at Brienne, has been placed in the town museum at Ajaccio.

Subsequent to a recently promulgated law, a youth of France of any height above five feet, if he weighs 100 pounds, is liable to conscription. Previously the minimum height was five feet 2 inches.

Exports of tin, gambier, rubber, gutta-percha, copra, coffee, spices, etc., from Singapore can be put into the American manufacturers' hands at 5 per cent less than the price paid by the manufacturer of Europe.

Ekitabo Ekyosaba Kwabuntu Bona is the way the title of the book of common prayers reads in the language of Uganda. The Society for the Promotion of Christian Knowledge has just printed the translation.

It is claimed that there are in Constantinople representatives of every nation and tribe upon the globe, and that every language is spoken. It is common to see signs written in eight or nine languages on the fronts of the retail shops.

A whistling moth is an Australian rarity. There is a glassy space on the wings crossed with ribs. When the moth wants to whistle it strikes these ribs with its antennae, which have a knob at the end. The sound is a love call from the male to the female.

SKULL BORERS.

A remarkable application of biblical precept is still to be found among the Serbs, who do not live in Serbia, but are also scattered over Turkey, Montenegro, Bosnia and Southern Hungary. They are very quarrelsome, and the vendetta flourishes among them. It follows that bullet holes in the skull are by no means uncommon.

Now, according to the unwritten law a man who has made a hole in another's head must submit to having his own head perforated in like manner, unless he prefers to pay about \$100 damages, which is seldom the case. So there has arisen among the Serbs a peculiar profession, that of the "meddies," or trepanners, who for a moderate fee will bore a hole in your skull and guarantee the wound to heal in two weeks.

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Straight running makes better speed than the swiftest circling.

No amount of pruning ever made peaches grow on fence posts.

The more we look up the less we need to look out for ourselves.

When grain ripens by moonlight the soil will be saved by culture.

The greater a man's treasure the less he will complain of his taxes.

Pride and ignorance are the babes that help one another to get lost.

You cannot set up the sins of the week with a solemn face on Sunday.

BAERCOCK IS NAMED.

LANCASTER, Wis., April 21.—Congressman Jos. W. Baercock was renominated today by the Republicans of the Third District.

NEW TO-DAY.

The Statesman Pub. Co. has on hand several hundred copies of the OREGON CONSTITUTION. The price is 10 cents each as long as they last.

WANTED—Tallow, in exchange for soap. Capital Soap Works, near Woolen Mills, Salem.

WANTED—Eggs and country butter; pay highest market price cash. Salem Creamery Co., 225 Commercial St.

WANTED—Five good woodchoppers to cut fir, ash and oak grub; will pay \$1 per cord for cutting. Enquire of H. W. Murphy, Independence, Oregon.

SEED BARLEY—Have seed barley for sale. Call at sheriff's office or farm on Howell Prairie, F. W. Durbin, Salem, Oregon.

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