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THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1901.

If the prediction of Marconi, that he will send wireless telegraph messages across the ocean for a cent a word, is realized, it will mean the complete elimination of the cable companies, which charge twenty-five cents a word.

The Industrial commission has issued a report of railway labor in the United States. It shows that railway employees constitute an army of nearly 1,000,000 people with probably nearly 5,000,000 dependent on the wages paid by railroads.

Two professors in the medical laboratory at Ann Arbor university claim to have discovered an absolute antiseptic for all intestinal diseases, cholera, typhoid fever and dysentery. They call the new preparation "benzozone." It is to be hoped it will accomplish all that is claimed for it.

"America's serials furnish a safer basis for national power than the armies of Germany or the fleets of England or France." In this connection it is of special interest to Americans to learn that the Department of Agriculture has brought from the deserts of the Ural a new wheat—new to this country, which it has been proven will flourish in that region known as our "arid west," and yield forty bushels to the acre, on soil where none of our other cereals will grow. This new cereal, of the wheat family, is destined to become one of our most valuable products and to it falls the honor of reclaiming millions of acres heretofore regarded sterile.

The annual report of Secretary Root shows that there has been a great deal of military activity in the Philippines during the last year, though none of the engagements has been on a large scale. More than 1,000 contacts occurred between our troops and the insurgents from May, 1900, to June 30, 1901, and there have been made similar encounters since the last date. Up to June 30 the insurgent losses were: Killed, 3,554; wounded, 11,938; captured, 6,572; surrendered, 23,095. For the Americans the figures are: Killed 245; wounded, 480; captured, 118; missing, 20. It will be observed that fifteen Filipinos have been killed for every American.

The steamship Glenogle brings news that before leaving Hsian-fu and while en route to Pekin the Chinese empress dowager received presents and tribute from seventy-two Chinese provinces aggregating 20,000,000 taels. When the imperial party left Hsian-fu it was preceded by General Ma and 1,500 cavalrymen escorting 700 large covered carts filled to overflowing with pure silver bound for Honan, where it is to be deposited with the provincial treasurer to await the pleasure of the empress. This tribute money will go into the empress' private purse. It comes chiefly from the high provincial and metropolitan authorities. The gifts are from the wealthy aristocrats, who were anxious to purchase the majesty's favor.

Good Literature

For Almost Nothing of what Mr. Chas. S. Fee, General Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., will send out carefully mailed, upon receipt of prices given. Any combination can be made, and money or express orders, silver or stamps will be accepted. This is a fine opportunity to obtain good descriptive reading matter for little or nothing.

Wonderland 1901.

An annual publication, beautifully illustrated in color and half-tone. This number treats particularly of the history of the Northern Pacific's Trademark, the Custer Battlefield in Montana, and the Yellowstone Park. SEND SIX OENTS.

Minature Wonderland.

A neat and dainty publication containing a complete history of the Northern Pacific Trademark. The artistic covers of the Wonderland 1901 are used in miniature. SEND FOUR CENTS.

Wild Flowers from Yellowstone.

A book of pressed wild flowers from Yellowstone Park showing the real flowers in their natural colors. A dainty and beautiful souvenir—ten specimens of flowers and six full page illustrations of Park scenery. SEND FIFTY CENTS.

Yellowstone National Park.

A new 112-page book in strong flexible covers, good paper, plain type, illustrated, pocket size, a compendium, and descriptive of the World's Wonderland. SEND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

Climbing Mount Rainier.

An illustrated pocket-size book, 72 pages, in strong flexible covers, printed on heavy paper, descriptive of an ascent of the highest peak in the United States—outside of Alaska—a glacial nature. SEND TWENTY-FIVE CENTS.

THE QUESTION OF Good Reading Matter.

is now uppermost in a great many minds. Men, women and children have begun to think about good reading matter for each member of the family.

In a great many cases they have not the slightest idea what it shall be.

Then, nine times out of ten you are not satisfied because you took some little old worthless thing.

Stop and think

Let us settle the question.

You will feel better satisfied, because the most popular and useful presents now-a-days are the monthly and weekly magazines. They are interesting and instructive not foolish story papers. We are the agent for every magazine published in the United States or Europe, and we can furnish you magazines for the children of any ages well as for grown people.

Another Point

Good magazines are not expensive these days. A few of the most popular "dollar a year" magazines are given below. They contain the best literature of modern times, which cannot fail to please all who are fortunate enough to be a reader. Here they are,

- The National Magazine,
- Ladies' Home Journal
- Woman's Home Companion
- Delineator,
- Designer,
- Munsey,
- McClures,
- Cosmopolitan,
- Leslie's,
- Success,
- Saturday Evening Post,
- Junior Munsey.

The higher priced magazines, varying in price from \$2 to \$4 per year are

- Review of Reviews,
- World's Work,
- Harper's publications,
- Scientific American, etc.

If you want a Teacher's magazine, or one devoted to Music, or any other profession, we can secure it for you.

Nearly all the magazines are published so as to reach the subscriber between the 20th and 25th of each month.

Drop in and see the samples, and if they suit you, you can leave your order.

Wallowa Chieftain,
Enterprise, Ore.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT LaGrande Oregon Dec. 7, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim and that said proof will be made before D. W. Sheahan, U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon, on Jan. 24, 1902, viz:

H. E. 9289, James Hilton of Joseph, Oregon, for the SW^{1/4} SE^{1/4} NE^{1/4} of Section 25 T. 2 N. R. 46 E. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

James M. Blakey, James Daugherty, of Joseph, Oregon, Sylvester T. Tippett, of Chico, Oregon, and William F. Craig, of Enterprise, Oregon.

E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DESERT LAND FINAL PROOF.

United States Land Office.

La Grande, Oregon, Nov. 21, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that Charles L. Harishorn of Joseph, Oregon, has filed notice of intention to make proof on his desert-land claim No. 230, for the SW^{1/4} NE^{1/4} Sec. 27 T. 2 N. R. 47 E. W. M. before A. C. Smith, U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21 day of January, 1902.

He names the following witnesses to prove the complete irrigation and reclamation of said land:

Frederick Wagner, William A. Jones, Albert Harishorn, and Frank D. McCully all of Joseph, Oregon.

E. W. Bartlett, Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,

La Grande, Ore., Nov. 16, 1901.

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, Elzie O. Makin, of Enterprise county of Wallowa, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 869, for the purchase of Lots 3 and 4 S. 1/4 NW^{1/4} of Section No. 2 Township No. 2 S., R. No. 45 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Or., on Tuesday, the 28th day of January, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Godias Beaudoin, Charles Wortman, Peter Beaudoin, Frank Cooper all of Enterprise, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of January, 1902.

E. W. Bartlett, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.

Dec. 13, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to commence and make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before D. W. Sheahan, U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon, on Feb. 1, 1902, viz:

H. E. 9229, Mary E. Perkins, of Imnaha, Oregon, for the NE^{1/4} SW^{1/4} NW^{1/4} NE^{1/4} Sec. 35 T. 1 N. R. 48 E. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Luther Lloyd, James K. Shields and William P. Warnock of Imnaha, Oregon, Virgil J. Lavender, of Enterprise, Oregon.

E. W. Bartlett, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.

Dec. 13, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to commence and make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before D. W. Sheahan, U. S. Commissioner at Enterprise, Oregon, on Feb. 20, 1902, viz:

H. E. 9272, William M. Snyder, of Enterprise, Oregon, for the NW^{1/4} SW^{1/4} NW^{1/4} NE^{1/4} Sec. 26 T. 1 N. R. 48 E. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Vesper Brumback, of Imnaha, Oregon, Henry Beeman, of Joseph, Oregon, W. Arthur Jewell and Elmer T. Wagner, of Enterprise, Oregon.

E. W. Bartlett, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.

Dec. 13, 1901.

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, William H. McFetridge, of Enterprise, county of Wallowa, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 850, for the purchase of the NW^{1/4} SW^{1/4} of Section No. 25 in Township No. 2 N., Range No. 45 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at La Grande, Oregon, on Tuesday the 28th day of January, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Charles Crader, and Isaac Root of Enterprise, Oregon, and D. W. Warnock and Richard Warnock of Joseph, Oregon.

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E. W. Bartlett.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office,

La Grande, Ore., Nov. 12, 1901.

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He names as witnesses: Charles Crader, and Isaac Root of Enterprise, Oregon, and D. W. Warnock and Richard Warnock of Joseph, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of January, 1902.

E. W. Bartlett.

PULLMAN ORDINARY SLEEPERS.

LAND OFFICE AT LaGrande Oregon Dec. 7, 1901.

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H. E. 9289, James Hilton of Joseph, Oregon, for the SW^{1/4} SE^{1/4} NE^{1/4} of Section 25 T. 2 N. R. 46 E. W. M.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

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