

LODGES

HOULTON CIRCLE No 4/8, Women of Woodcraft, meets the second and fourth Tuesday afternoon of each month at Houlton, Ore. Mrs. Elva Wikstrom, Guardian Neighbor. Scappoose, Ore.; Minnie A. Morley, Clerk.

Columbia Encampment No. 77, I. O. O. F. meets in the I. O. O. F. Hall, on the second and fourth Thursday of each month, sojourning Patriarchs most cordially invited to meet with us.

G. C. Robey, Chief Patriarch.
C. W. Blakesley, Scribe.

MIZPAH CHAPTER, NO. 30, O. E. S Meets in Masonic Hall the second and fourth Saturdays of each month. **MARY GEORGE, W. M.**
E. A. ROTGER, Secretary

Avon Lodge No 62 Knights of Pythias meets every Tuesday Evening in Castle Hall, St. Helens. Visiting Knights always welcome.
J. W. Clark, C. C.
A. J. Deming, K. of R & S

ST. HELENS LODGE NO. 32 A F & A M. Meets 1st and 3rd Saturday in each month. Visiting brothers cordially welcomed. John Q Gage, Master; R. E. Quick, Secretary.

St. Helens Lodge No. 117, I. O. O. F. meets in the I. O. O. F. building, on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month, visiting members are always given a hearty welcome.
L. E. Allen, N. G.
J. W. Allen, Sec

United Artisans, Assembly No. 80, meets first and third Fridays of each month at I. O. O. F. Hall, St. Helens. officers: M. A., Mrs. Lizzie Roberson; Sup't, Mrs. Isbester; Sec, Mrs. Mabel Bill; Treas., J. Bill. All visiting Artisans are cordially invited.

Court St. Helens, No. 80, meets every 2nd & 4th Thursdays in K. of P. Hall.
All members urged to attend meetings.
Visiting Brothers always welcome
J. G. Pringle, U. R.
M. J. Ford, F. S.

COMMUNICATED

To the editor of the St. Helens Mist: Through the medium of your valued paper, with your consent I wish to confer with the reading public a few minutes as to the propriety of bonding the county for money at this time

While we believe that the tax payers of Columbia County are more nearly a unit on the question of good roads than any thing that ever came up before the voters of the county. The only difference of opinion now existing is as to the ways and means by which that most desirable object may be obtained. That is good and permanent county roads where they will afford the greatest good to the greatest number.

Let us call attention to a few minor questions as we pass along.

In the first place we will notice is the child must creep before it can walk. Why? Because it is a necessity, this being the case, the prime object of mankind is to, first provide himself with the necessities of life, then the luxuries. The vital question now before the voters of our fair county is: Are we to build a great scenic railroad along the water front of the great Columbia for the pleasure and pastime of the rich and favored few or are we to build good and substantial thoroughfares through the farming communities so that the long suffering pioneer farmer may be able to get his products to the market that he may be able by his sturdy efforts to help feed the world and thereby lessen the high cost of living, the subject of which is now uppermost in the minds of the voting millions.

Do the steamboat and railroad companies clamor for that great avenue from Portland to the sea that the instigators of the great fiasco, as we may call it, as an inducement for people to vote a mortgage on their heard earned homes, that this great enterprise? may be more expeditiously consummated. We answer emphatically, No! because every ton of freight that could be offered and every individual passenger that might reach the various shipping points would help to swell the great volume of traffic now handled.

An other fallacious argument is offered in favor of the bonding proposition and that is the only feasible means by which certain objects may be attained.

Now let us see. There are many districts within the county after paying the usual high taxes, for current expenses have been in the habit of voting a special road tax to the high limit and had it in all cases been handled judiciously there would have been little if any complaint, now we believe that the tax payers of the county would prefer to suffer a special ten

mill road tax which in two years would afford the much coveted \$360,000 and by this means save to the county that \$360,000 which otherwise would go for to fill the coffers of the already bloated bond holder, instead of being expended where it would be a blessing to the more deserving settlers of our county. Finally if the advocates of this odious measure would have been a meritorious one, why should there be so much ringing of bells, sounding of trumpets, etc., as well as the importation of so many silver tongued orators to help boost a questionable proposition.

A thing that will not bear the light of investigation and will not pass muster on its own merits should be voted down.

We now rest our case in the hands of an intelligent jury.
D. W. FREEMAN.

Armstrong Grange No. 456

Scappoose, Ore.—Resolved, That the members of Armstrong Grange are opposed to the bonds being issued unless money be distributed in locality where it is collected. We also condemn the action of the county court for changing the boundaries of road districts without the consent of the people.

Whereas the changing of the boundaries of the road districts in four districts in the county, is of no advantage to further the cause of good roads in the county

We believe that the county court in appointing road supervisors should choose men of ability to build roads instead of political favorites.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued by the clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of Columbia State of Oregon, dated the 28th day of January, 1914, in a certain action in the circuit court for said county and state wherein Joseph Erickson, Jr., as plaintiff recovered judgment against James Welch for the sum of six hundred and eighty-five and no/100 dollars with interest thereon from July 9, 1912, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum and costs and disbursements taxed at \$166.75 on the 28th day of January, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that I will on Saturday, the 28th day of February, 1914, at the front door of the county court house in St Helens in said county, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 7 in township 4 north of range 1 west of the Willamette Meridian, and thence running east on the north line of said sw qr of sw qr of section 7, 40 rods to a point; thence south and parallel with the west line of said sw qr of sw qr 40 rods to a point; thence west and parallel with the north line of said sw qr of sw qr 40 rods to a point; thence north along the west line of said sw qr of sw qr 40 rods to the place of beginning, containing ten (10) acres of land situated in Columbia Co., Oregon.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said defendant James Welch or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of Joseph Erickson, Jr. against said James Welch with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue,
Dated and first published January 30 1914.

A. E. THOMPSON,
Sheriff of Columbia County, Oregon

Notice

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry Tuerck, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an order of sale made and entered in the above entitled court in the above entitled cause the undersigned as administrator of the estate of Henry Tuerck, deceased will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described real property, to-wit: the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter all in Section Nine in Township Three North of Range Two West of the Willamette Meridian in Columbia county, State of Oregon. Any person desiring to purchase said property may submit bids to the undersigned at room 433, Worcester block in the City of Portland, Multnomah County, State of Oregon, said sale to be made subject to confirmation of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county. The date of the first publication of this notice is Jan 30, 1914 and the last date of publication is Feb 27, 1914.

OSCAR TUERCK,
Administrator of the Estate of Henry Tuerck, Deceased.
Frank Schlegel, Attorney for Administrator.

Summons

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Barbette Bamme, Plaintiff,
vs.
Charles Bamme, Defendant.

Charles Bamme the above named defendant, you are hereby required to appear and answer to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before March 14, 1914, said day being after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein, to-wit: For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. J. A. Eakin, judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered on the 30th day of Jan., 1914, and the time prescribed for publication thereof is six weeks, beginning with the issue of January 30, 1914, and continuing each week thereafter to and including the issue of March 12, 1914.
W. L. COOPER,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Henry Sanstrom, deceased, has filed his final account and report in said estate and that the Hon. W. A. Harris, county judge of Columbia county, Oregon, by order dated the 5th day of January, 1914, has set Monday, February 9th, 1914, at 10 o'clock a. m. as the hour, and the county court room in the City of St. Helens, said county and state, as the place for hearing said final account and objections thereto. All persons interested in said estate are notified hereby to attend at said time and place to make their objections, if any, to said final account and report.

Dated this 5th day of January, 1914,
JOHN STOCKMANNBERG,
Administrator of the estate of Henry Sanstrom, deceased.
First publication on Jan. 9, 1914.
Last publication Feb. 6, 1914.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the County of Columbia, State of Oregon, dated the 7th day of January, 1914, in a certain action in the Circuit Court for said County and state, wherein W. F. Smallwood, as plaintiff, recovered judgment against Edward Sprague Thayer for the sum of Three-Hundred Dollars and costs and disbursements taxed at Eighty-Seven Dollars.

Notice is hereby given that I will, on Saturday, the 7th day of February, 1914, at the front entrance of the court house in St Helens, in said county, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

The land, water frontage and tide land lying westerly of the right-of-way of the Astoria and Columbia River Railroad Company, beginning at a point on the right-of-way directly west of a point on the shore line at low tide of the Columbia river 30 feet northwesterly from the northeast corner of the T. F. Galloway Donation Land Claim; thence running in a northeasterly direction 1400 feet along said right of way with the riparian rights and tide lands belonging to the lands therein described, the same being the land and tide lands lying east of and from ing and abutting lots 2 and 3 of section 23, township 7 north, range 2 west of the Willamette meridian, the same being situated in Columbia county Oregon, taken and levied upon as the property of said Edward Sprague Thayer, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the said judgment in favor of W. F. Smallwood against said Edward Sprague Thayer, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue. A. E. THOMPSON, Sheriff.

Dated and first published Jan. 9, 1914.
Last publication Feb. 6, 1914.

Summons

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

Lela M. Clancy, Plaintiff,
vs.
J. C. Clancy, Defendant.

To J. C. Clancy, the above named defendant, you are hereby required to appear and answer to the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before February 21, 1914, said day being after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein, to-wit: For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now

existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet and equitable.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. J. A. Eakin, judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered on the 6th day of January, 1914, and the time prescribed for publication thereof is six weeks, beginning with the issue of January 9, 1914, and continuing each week thereafter to and including the issue of Feb. 20, 1914. W. L. COOPER,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Chamber of Commerce Building, Portland, Oregon.

Summons

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

Christina Beck, Plaintiff,
vs.
Alvin J. Beck, Defendant.

To Alvin J. Beck above named defendant: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before February 21, 1914, said day being after the expiration of six weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein, to-wit: For a decree forever dissolving the bonds of matrimony now existing between plaintiff and defendant, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. J. A. Eakin, judge of the above entitled court, which order was made and entered on the 6th day of January, 1914, and the time prescribed for publication thereof is six weeks, beginning with the issue of January 9, 1914, and continuing each week thereafter to and including the issue of Feb. 20, 1914. O. M. DICKEY,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Wiley Building, Portland, Oregon.

Sheriff's Sale

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COLUMBIA.

Rachel M. Disney, Plaintiff,
vs.
M. Nina Savage, Defendant.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of an execution in foreclosure issued out of the above entitled court, in the above entitled cause, to be directed, and dated the 20th day of Dec. 1913, upon a judgment, decree and order of sale, rendered and entered in said court and cause on the 17th day of November, 1913, in favor of Rachel M. Disney and against M. Nina Savage, for the sum of one-hundred thirty-three and 68/100 dollars, with interest thereon from the said 17th day of November, 1913, at the rate of 8 per cent per annum until paid and fifty dollars attorney's fee, and the further sum of twelve dollars costs, and costs of and upon this writ commanding me to sell the following described real property, situated in Columbia County, Oregon, to-wit:

Lot five-5-, in block seventy five-75-, in the City of St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, decree and order of sale and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on Saturday, the 31st day of January, 1914, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., at the front entrance of the courthouse, in St. Helens, Columbia County, Oregon, sell at public auction—subject to redemption—to the highest bidder for cash, all the right, title and interest which the within named defendant had on the 17th day of November, 1913, or since had in and to the above described real property, to satisfy said execution, judgment, interest, costs and accruing costs.

A. R. Thompson,
Sheriff of Columbia County, Ore.
Dated and first published Jan. 2, 1914.
Last publication Jan. 30, 1914.

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the matter of the estate of Henry C. Kruse, deceased.

To the unknown heirs of Henry C. Kruse, deceased—there being no devisees or known heirs of said deceased—and to all persons, whomsoever, interested in said estate, greeting:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON,

You and each of you are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, at the court room thereof, at St. Helens, in the county of Columbia, State of Oregon, on Wednesday, the 11th day of February, 1914, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any there be, why an order should not be made granting to the administrator of said estate permission and directing him to sell the real estate of said deceased, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to pay the charges, expenses and claims of administration, at private sale.

The following is a true description of all the real property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

The south half of the southeast quarter of section 25, and the north half of the northeast quarter of section 35, all in township 7 south, range 44 east of the

Willamette meridian, in Baker county, Oregon.

Also, the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 17, township 3 north, range 2 west of the Willamette meridian, in Columbia county, Oregon.

This citation is published pursuant to the laws of the State of Oregon and the order of the Hon. W. A. Harris, judge of the above entitled court, made Dec. 31st, 1913, for four successive and consecutive weeks in the St. Helens Mist, a newspaper published weekly in Columbia county Oregon, the first publication being on Friday, January 21, 1914, and the last being on Friday, January 30th 1914.

Witness the Hon. W. A. Harris, judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia county, with the seal of said court affixed this 31st day of December, A. D. 1913.

Attest: H. E. LEBARRÉ, Clerk.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE COUNTY COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the Matter of the Estate of Edgar Augustus Palmer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administratrix of the estate of Edgar Augustus Palmer, deceased, to the creditors thereof, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix by filing the said claims with the County Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, the same being the place for the transmission of the business of the said estate, or by filing the said vouchers with the administratrix at her residence at Oregon City, Oregon. Route No. 6.

ANNIE GARRISON,
Administratrix.
First publication January 1914.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO REGISTER LAND TITLES

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR COLUMBIA COUNTY.

In the matter of the application of George L. McPherson to register the title to the following described real property, situate in the county of Columbia, state of Oregon, to-wit: That portion of the south half of sect on 17, township 6 north range 5 west of Willamette meridian, described as follows: Beginning at a point where the line of the survey known as the "Foster Road Survey" intersects with the south line of said section 17; he ce running in a northerly and easterly direction along the south line of said Foster road survey to a point where the said south line of said Foster Road Survey intersects the east line of section 17; thence running south along the east line of section 17 to the southeast corner of said section 17; thence running west along the said line of said section 17 to the place of beginning; a plat of said Foster Road Survey being recorded in said county in the office of the county clerk.

George L. McPherson, Plaintiff

N. B. Moyer and all persons and parties unknown claiming any right, title, interest, estate of lien in or upon the real property described herein, and All Wh m it May Concern,

Defendants.

To N. B. Moyer and all whom it may concern:

Take notice that on the 12th day of January, 1914, an application was filed by George L. McPherson, in the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for Columbia county, for initial registration of title to the real property hereinabove described.

Now, unless you appear on or before the 2nd day of March, 1914, and show cause why such application shall not be granted, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree will be entered according to the prayer of the application, and you will be forever barred and you will be forever estopped from disputing the same. H. E. LABARRÉ,
County Clerk

By A. F. BARNETT, Deputy.

KOLLOCK & ZOLLINGER, Attorneys for Applicant.

For Rent—Rooms in the Bank building. Steam heat, electric light, hot and cold water.
Columbia Co. Bank.

FOR PORTLAND DAILY

STEAMER

AMERICA

Leaves St. Helens 6.00 A. M. Arrives at Portland 10.30 A. M. Leaves Portland at 2.30 P. M. Arrives St. Helens at 6.30 P. M

Str. IRALDA

Summer Rates between St. Helens and Portland 50 cents one way 75 cents round trip
Tickets good any time after April 4th
Boat leaves St. Helens 7:55 a. m. Returning leaves Portland 2:30 p. m. Arrive at St. Helens 4:45 p. m.
C. I. HOOCHKIRK

Congegational Church

A church home for friends and strangers.
Services—10 a. m. Bible school, 11 a. m. Preaching and worship, 7:30 p. m. Song service and sermon. Wednesday, 7-30 p. m. Mid-week service and Bible study. Everybody welcome.
F. J. Meyer, Pastor.

Houlton Free Methodist Church

Sabbath School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 8 p. m.
J. N. Wood, Pastor.

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