OREGON MIST.

DECEMBER 1, 1899.

Walter Pulliam was up from Mayger last Monday.

Largest stock and lowest prices at W. H. Dolman's.

Mrs. J. R. Beegle returned last week to Mary Island, Alaska.

Mr. A. Cleveland spent Saturday and Sunday last in Portland.

For a complete stock of general merchandise call at W. H. Dolman's.

Smith Kistner was up from Rainier Monday looking after business matters.

John M. Reddick, an enterprising farmer of Clatskanie, was in the city Monday.

Do not fail to attend the Episcopal bazaar next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

Merchant W. J. Deitz, of Rainier, was in town Tuesday attending to business matters.

Dan Richardson is carrying his hand in a sling as a result of blood poisoning in that member.

Mrs. E. H. Flagg, of Salem, was in St. Helens Monday, having come down from Salem last Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Sheldon returned last Friday from Portland, where she had been for several weeks under care of a physicain.

The flag floated at half-mast over the court house last Saturday as an acknowledgment of respect for the late vice president.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin White returned last Saturday from the lower part of the county, where they visited friends for a week.

The Oregon Wood Company, of this place, during the month of October, sold 1332 cords of wood. Pretty good for an infant industry.

There will be services at the Episcopal church next Sunday evening at 7:30, and on each alternate Sunday evening thereafter at the same hour.

Lost, on the steamer Iralda on Saturday afternoon, a ladies gold watch with the monogram "M. S. B." on the case. Return to purser on Iralda and receive reward.

Mrs. T. C. Watts and Mrs. James McNaughton, of Goble, were in this city last Saturday afternoon and evening attending a meeting of and attend a banquet given by the Eastern Star.

Rev. Mr. Philbrook will preach the funeral sermon in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Barger's recently deceased baby, at Yankton on Sunday at 11:30 o'clock. He will preach at Houlton in the evening.

Rainier is now enjoying a dancing school where the young men, maidens, middle aged and bald-heads are taking their first lessons in square and round dances. The revival in business has brought its usual flood of pleasure.

When visiting the printing office keep these rules: Enter softly, sit down quietly, subscribe for the paper and pay in advance. Keep six feet from the devil, hands off the manuscript, don't talk to the compositor, and don't read the type in the galleys.

An intelligent farmer has discovered that by planting onions and potatoes in the same field in alternate rows, the onions become so strong that they bring tears to the eyes of the potatoes in such volumes that the roots are kept moist, and a big crop is raised in spite of the drouth.

Dan J. Moore, clerk of the circuit court of Multnomah county and administrator of the estate of the late H. B. Borthwick, was in this city last Friday. Mr. Moore states that an additional inventory of the estate of Mr. Borthwick has been filed, showing property in this county valued at $7,478, comprising scows and accounts receivable.

In the last number of the Hood River Sun that came to our table we found the following item: "Miss Maude Decker, of St. Helens, who is spending the winin Hood River, has been experimenting at type setting in the Sun office this week, and for a beginner shows greater aptitude for the work than is usually the case. Miss Decker will assist at the case at this office."

Our job printing department is kept busy most of the time turning out commercial and society work of all kinds. We are constantly adding to our job material and the reputation of turning out good work is given us by all who patronize us. Our prices are consistent with good workmanship. We will print anything from a calling card to a poster or a book, and do it well and promptly.

Few people know or realize the benefits that can be had by the use of a special delivery postage stamp. A letter bearing one of these stamps, which only costs ten cents, must be delivered immediately to the addressee by the postmaster at the office of destination, if the addressee can be found within a mile of the postoffice. Such stamps can also be used on drop letters and can be made to take the place of messenger service. Because they are not required people forget that there is such a convenience furnished by the postoffice department, and as a consequence, there are but few of them used.

Just a few miles west of St. Helens is a settlement of very prosperous people, the particular locality being known as Yankton. There they have a good school, a postoffice, general merchandise store, boarding house and a sawmill, besides the logging and cordwood industry is carried on there to an extensive degree. The sawmill, which is owned and operated by Mr. H. O. Howard, gives employment to a number of men the year around, and though not having a great capacity, the product of the plant is good. Most of the lumber consumed in the neighborhood is manufactured at the Howard mill, and is generally highly satisfactory. Mr. Howard puts in his own logs, at which work a number of men are kept constantly employed. The presence of that mill is a great convenience to the community and a source of profit to the owner.

There is an extremely modest old gentleman residing at Rainier, who is widely and favorably known throughout the county. His name is Joseph B. Doan, who creditably fills the high office of county judge. Judge Doan also handles real estate, acting as a—well, a real estate broker, and from which he quite frequently realizes neat sums of money as a commission. As evidence of the judge's extreme modesty in conducting his business, he left an order with us recently for some blank contracts to sell land, in which he did not care to have "Doan's Real Estate Agency" printed in big letters, nor any other display made that he possessed a haughty or fastidious disposition. "Just a plain, neat contract," said the judge, which indicated that he would demonstrate his ability to dispose of real estate for his patrons by quiet methods and without great outward demonstrations.

Mr. Mart Hazen was down from Warren Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Daisy Ewing spent Thanksgiving with her parents at Mayger.

Mr. G. E. Tyszkiewicz, of Bachelor island, was in town Tuesday.

Fred Henderson was up from Goble Tuesday attending to business affairs.

Miss Dora Perry is visiting at her home at Glencoe, Washington county.

Geo. S. Foster, of Goble, has been granted an increase of pension from $6 to $8.

The recent rains have made it possible for many loggers to get their crops to market.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Watts and children spent Thanksgiving at their former home at Scappoose.

Mr. F. S. Gray has arrived at Nanaimo, B. C., where he will take up church work for a year.

Win Seffert made a successful drive of a good many hundred thousand feet of logs out of Tide creek Monday and Tuesday.

Latest advices from Sheriff Rice are to the effect that he is improving in health, and hopes to soon be able to attend to business.

Mr. C. F. Fowler, of Columbia City, expects to depart for Eastern Oregon this week. He will remain in that part of the state until spring.

On and after December 4th, 1899, the steamer G. W. Shaver will leave Portland Mondays and Thursdays at 6:30 A. M., for Clatskanie and way landings. Returning, leaves Clatskanie Tuesdays and Fridays at 4 A. M.

Mr. W. J. Fullerton, of Warren, went to Portland Wednesday to deliver a deed to Mt. Tabor parties for his farm and home at Scappoose bay. Mr. and Mrs. Clark were the purchasers. Mr. Fullerton and family may remove from the county.

The injunction suit of D. J. Moore, administrator of the estate of H. B. Borthwick, deceased, restraining defendant, James Kennedy, from further obliterating a certain wood flume, was settled out of court on Tuesday by plaintiff agreeing to pay defendant $50 for use of the flume until February 1st.

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Some time ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping someone similarly afflicted may read it and be benefitted. —THOMAS C. BOWER, Glencoe, O. For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

Mrs. Lutke, grand matron of the Order of Eastern Star of this state, accompanied by two lady friends of her home chapter, were visitors at the local chapter last Saturday evening. Upon this occasion the local chapter exemplified the work in the presence of the visitors, after which a banquet was tendered to the distinguished ladies in the lower hall of the building. A pleasant and profitable evening was spent.

Johnny Dart, the hustling, energetic young man who serves out tender steaks and dainty, inviting cutlets at the St. Helens Meat Market, is striving industriously to maintain the reputation of that establishment to supply the many patrons with a first-class quality and choice variety of all kinds of fresh and cured meats. A visit to his place of business is all that is necessary to convince one that he is succeeding admirably.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston, of Richmond, Ind., has been troubled with that ailment since 1862. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It acts like magic with me. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me." For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

Edward T. Watts, captain of the steamer America, has sued Henry Schwering for $15,850 damages, in the state circuit court in Portland, on account of the accidental shooting of the plaintiff by the defendant, on March 8th, 1898. Watts avers that he was acting as fireman on the steamer Young America, and that Schwering, who was a passenger on the boat, carried a large pistol and carelessly handled it so that it was discharged. Watts says he was severely wounded in the right leg, and in consequence, was crippled for life, and was laid up in the hospital for twelve weeks and incapacitated from work for eight months.

It is always an easy matter to distinguish the thrifty farmer from the careless one. The difference is depicted in the manner in which each takes care of his farming machinery. The time of the year has come when the farmer should take care of the farm implements. Every plow, wagon, harrow, reaper, mower or other implement used should be stored away out of the sun, rain and snow. Shed for storage should be built and it should be borne in mind that protection is as important as any task of the farm. Thousands of dollars are lost every year by the thoughtlessness of farmers in not caring for their implements.

The report of Superintendent Ackerman shows the following: During the last school year the average length of time the schools were open in this state was 5⅗ months. During the preceding year the average over the whole state was 5⅘ months. In 1898 there were 2013 school houses in the state; in 1899 there were 2051, or an increase of 38. As the reports show that 66 were built during the year, it is to be presumed that 28 were abandoned or destroyed. There are now 79 log school houses, 1956 frame, 15 brick and one stone. The number of persons in the state between 4 and 20 years of age in 1898 was 130,750; in 1899, 132,408. Of these, 32,624 were not attending any school in 1898, and in 1899 the number was increased to 35,552. In 1898 the number of teachers employed was 3693; In 1899, the number was diminished to 3675.

This is the season when in Northern states east of the Rocky mountains, the ground freezes and the muddy roads become "hubby." Stock come scampering and shivering about the barns and sheds to be housed and fed. With thick, course coats and mittens the farmers go out in the morning to "do the chores" into a nipping and an eager air. Vegetation is all dead; and the long winter has begun. Here in Columbia county in the heart of Webfoot, it will be several weeks yet before the cold winds come, and no surprise would be felt if they should not appear at all. In many of our yards the roses are blooming yet and many bright and hardy flowers shed their autumnal fragrance upon the temperate atmosphere. Mud there is, out-of-door work can be prosecuted with no inconvenience a large portion of the time. We shall have some brief spells of sharp winter weather, but the climatic contrast between Oregon and Vermont, say, for the next five months, is one that Oregonians can view with satisfaction as to their place of residence.

CLATSKANIE ITEMS.

A number of friends were over from Quincy Friday evening to attend the drama.

Daniel Dixon, Sr., made a trip to Rainier Monday evening to visit his daughter there.

H. L. Warren is moving his family into the house lately occupied by G. C. Tichenor.

W. K. Tichenor was in Portland with two members of his family, returning Monday morning.

George Tichenor and family will occupy the English residence for the winter, during the absence of the owners.

A young attorney was looking over this place last week with a view to locating, but concluded we were well enough supplied.

C. W. Jones returned Tuesday morning from Fair Haven, Wash., where he spent the summer as foreman in a cannery establishment.

Our schools will have a day off, being closed from Wednesday evening to Monday. Miss Tracy expects to go to Portland to spend Thanksgiving with friends.

Will Chandler was the victim of another misfortune last Saturday in the loss of his best working horse. In hauling a large log with four horses to the brow of a bluff, the log, instead of stopping, went over, dragging the whole team with it, some sixty feet to the bottom. It was some time before the team could be extricated, and when released one was dead and the other had a severe gash, several inches long, cut in its side. Will feels as though he was in hard luck, this being the second horse he has lost while logging. He proposes to push ahead however, expecting better success hereafter.

A crowd of our citizens, sufficiently large to fill Conyers' hall, gathered last Friday evening to hear the drama "What Next," rendered by our local talent, directed by Mrs. J. Addison Smith, who took one of the leading characters herself. The hall had been decorated with bunting, evergreens and flowers, presenting a very attractive appearance. Aside from Mrs. Smith's part, which she rendered with a realism that was surprising as well as amusing, the prominent actors were Professors Whitten and Hall, Postmaster Warren, Messrs. Fabrique, E. C. Blackford, Mrs. E. D. Tichenor, Misses Laura Conyers, Madge Hiatt, Mable and Maggie Blackford, with some younger persons as accessories. We would like to mention in detail the individual merits of the different characters, but it might be looked upon as an unwarranted glorification of those of our own town. Possibly the drama could have been brought out as well in some of our neighboring towns, but if so the characters would have to get up pretty early in the morning and work until late at night to do so. The town is proud of its talent but is modest about proclaiming it, not wanting to hurt the feelings of those not fortunate enough to have his or her lot cast in Clatskanie. Suffice it to say we enjoyed the drama, and thought the parts were brought out in an expressive and masterly manner. Not the least attraction, by any means, was the Tichenor orchestra, consisting of Messrs. S. L. and E. Tichenor, S. Shourds and Misses Tracy and Barr, with clarionet, two violins, cornet and piano. Their excellent music added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening. The performance was repeated the next evening with as much energy and excellence, but to a smaller audience, as the rain was falling in good shape. Mrs. Smith devoted much time to working up this drama and deserves much of the credit for its success.

VERNONIA ITEMS.

O. B Malmsten visited in Portland last week.

W. B. Derebery passed through here Friday on his way to Clark county.

Messrs. Olson and Eichman, of Keasey, were in Vernonia Saturday.

Mrs. McNutt and Guy visited at Homewood a couple of days last week.

Tell Soule visited at Oregon City and other Clackamas county towns last week.

Mr. Wiley and two sons, from Missouri, are visiting his half-sister, Mrs. Coulter.

Mrs. Siegert, who was stricken with paralysis last summer, is improving, but very slowly.

W. M. Wilson has secured an expert paper hanger from Portland to decorate the inside of his residence in the person of D. M. Holbrook.

John Beyers and family, who have been visiting relatives and friends on Rock creek, returned to their home at Forest Grove last Wednesday.

Your correspondent made a mistake in stating the time for the shooting match at John Brous' place. It should have been the 28th instead of the 30th.

Posters are out announcing a show at this place December 12th, also a grand ball after the show. It is needless to say that this show will excel anything of the kind that has been presented here this season.

Rev. F. M. Fisher, formerly of this place, and Miss Julia A. Foster were joined in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents, at Jewell, Clatsop county, last Wednesday, the 22nd inst., Rev. Stroup, of this place, officiating.

Miss Daisy Watkins, who has spent a year at Yreka, California, returned to her home in this city Wednesday.

Dr. H. R. Cliff, of Avon lodge Knights of Pythias, has been honored by the appointment by the grand chancellor of this domain, a duly commissioned deputy grand chancellor for the Columbia river district of subordinate lodges. The duties of the grand chancellor in this domain have become so numerous that it became necessary to divide the state into districts, having a deputy in each district. Grand Chancellor Kennedy made no mistake in appointing Dr. Cliff. The interests of the order will be carefully guarded.

This is what the Evening Telegram calls Thanksgiving: "Rain. Mud. Pie. Prayer. Dance. More rain. Football. Deeper mud. Chrysanthemums. Church. Cocktails. Turkey. Theater party. Mince pie. Harder rain. Charity. Hospital (football). Packages. Yellow chrysanthemums. District visitations. Eggnog. More turkey. Still more rain. Bonbons and jewelry. Fancy ball. Pumpkin pie. Praise and devotion. Puddings and cranberry sauce. Mint juleps. Pink chrysanthemums. Red neckties and silk umbrellas. Continuation of rain. Beer and limburger. Blow for the patrol wagon. Ring the sweet bells of charity. Telephone for the doctor. It's Thanksgiving!"

Frank Dow was down from Oak island Tuesday evening.

DIED.

ALLENBAUGH.—Near Warren, Sunday, November 26, 1899, Henry Allenbaugh, of kidney trouble, aged 55 years.

Deceased leaves a wife and two step-children, besides three brothers, three sisters, and an aged mother and father living in Yamhill county. The funeral was held from the Warren school house, November 27th, where a large congregation had gathered to pay their last token of respect to a neighbor. The service was conducted by Rev. D. MacLachlan, pastor of the St. Helens M. E. church.

AROUND THE COURT HOUSE.

Items Picked Up on the Side, and Prepared for Readers of The Mist.

In the assessor's office work still continues on the present-ownership books, and the task of transcribing and platting is becoming a wearisome undertaking. Platting the donation land claims, with all their subsequent divisions and sub-divisions, requires great care and a vast amount of mathematical calculation. That part of the work is nearly completed, however, after which work will progress with greater rapidity.

Annie Mescher and Thomas Devine made proof on their homesteads before the county clerk on Monday. Miss Mescher's witnesses were Fred Neinstedt and J. R. Headlee, and her land is the northwest one-fourth of section 10, township 6 north, range 3 west. Mr. Devine's witnesses were Louis Malcolm and J. R. Headlee, and his land is the northwest one-fourth of section 33, township 7 north, range 3 west.

If Mr. A. F. Reed were told that he owned eighty acres of land in Columbia county he would be very much inclined to discredit the statement. Some time ago a patent was issued to him for the south one-half of the northeast one-fourth and north one-half of southeast one-fourth of section 3, township 5 north, range 3 west. Mr. W. L. Clark, a non-resident, desired to become the owner of the land, hence a bargain was made for $850 and what Mr. Reed thought was his land was accordingly transferred to Mr. Clark, but after a search of the records it is demonstrated that Mr. Reed deeded eighty acres of his own land and eighty acres of his neighbor's land to Mr. Clark. Mr. Reed still owns eighty acres of land, but it would require considerable evidence, no doubt, to convince him of the fact.

A patent was filed for record in the clerk's office last Friday which is rather an odd document. It is a grant by the government to a piece of land, the west one-half of the southwest one-fourth of section 12, township 7 north, range 3 west, containing 80 acres, and was issued to Josiah Johnson on the 4th day March, 1890. Mr. Johnson secured the land by applying upon its purchase price from the government a bounty land warrant, assigned to him by Samuel Wharton, a private in Captain Morris' company of Pennsylvania militia in the war of 1812, in accordance with an act of congress of 1855. Mr. Johnson, becoming quite aged, had Judge Doan look after his business affairs, and upon application at the Oregon City land office it was found that the patent had been there a good many years. The document is now on record.

It has come to light that between the southern boundary of Columbia county and the northern boundary of Multnomah county there is a strip of land which is in neither one of those counties. The discovery was made by Assessor White, who was searching for the location of the lands upon the request of a firm of Portland lawyers. The land is on Sauvies island, and comprises that portion of the south one-half of section 19, lying east of the Willamette slough, the south one-half of sections 20, 21 and 22, township 3 north, range 1 west. Several years ago it is said, a bill was passed by the legislature, removing the line of Columbia county one-half mile north, and no provision was made for extending the Multnomah county line up to it. Hence the parcel of land belongs to neither county, and is three and one-fourth miles long and one-half mile wide. Messrs. Frank Dow, Cuthbert Stump and E. House own land in the strip. People who pay taxes in both counties have always claimed to pay less taxes in Multnomah county than in Columbia, being of the impression that these lands were assessed in Multnomah county. Neither assessor assessed the lands and consequently no tax was paid on it. Here is a splendid opportunity for Columbia's next representative to cover himself with glory by getting a bill through the next legislature annexing that three-mile strip to Columbia's domain.

HOULTON NOTES.

Edwin Merrill, of Deer Island, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Rowley and daughter will spend Thanksgiving at Goble.

George Kelly, Sr., and his son, George, are in the Dalles at present.

Mrs. Sam Kelly, of Hood River, is visiting relatives here this week.

The section crew has been reudced to four men for the rest of the winter.

Aaron Kelly has been on the Meeker place on the island the last few days.

Mrs. Henshaw returned from a week's visit with her mother Thursday evening.

Fred Larsen is loading and shipping wood cars to Churchley Bros., of Portland.

Geo. Emerson came up from Kalama Sunday, returning Monday on the noon train.

The show failed to show Wednesday night owing to a severe "frost" which accompanied it.

Charles Little has been confined to his room the past few days on account of a sprained knee.

Mrs. Amos Slavens and Miss Mae, of Warren, took the train at this place Saturday, for Castle Rock.

Frank Brown, who is engaged in logging on the Cowceman river, visited his family in this place Sunday, returning to the camp Monday.

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The first indication of croup is hoarseness, and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the croupy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land, and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record—twenty-five years constant use without a failure. For sale by Dr. Edwin Ross.

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DECKER'S OLD STAND, ST. HELENS

COUNTY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE,
ST. HELENS, OR., NOV. 24, 1899.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL unpaid County Warrants of Columbia County, Oregon, which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," prior to January 1st, 1899, will be paid upon presentation at this office. Interest will not be allowed after this date. EDWIN ROSS,
n24d24 Treasurer of Columbia County, Oregon.

CITY TREASURER'S NOTICE.

OFFICE OF CITY TREASURER,
ST. HELENS, Oregon, Nov. 24, 1899.

THE CITY TREASURER OF ST. HELENS, Oregon hereby gives notice that all warrants of this city which have been presented and endorsed "Not Paid for Want of Funds," prior to Oct. 18th, 1898, will be paid upon presentation to me. Interest will not be allowed after this date. DAVID DAVIS,
City Treasurer.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Columbia County.
In the matter of the estate of Frank M. Webber, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of Frank M. Webber, deceased: To the creditors of and to all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to present them, with the proper vouchers, within six months from the date of this notice, to the said administrator, at his office in the city of St. Helens, Columbia county, Oregon.

Done by order of the Honorable J. B. Doan, judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County, made November 14th, 1899. DAVID DAVIS,
Administrator of the estate of Frank M. Webber, deceased. Dated November 17th, 1899.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATON.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
November 20th, 1899.

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 the Register and Receiver, at Oregon City, Oregon, on January 20th, 1900, viz:

MANNES SHROCK,

Homestead entry 11203, for the southwest ¼ of the northeast ¼, and east ½ of the northeast ¼ of section 23, and the northwest ¼ of the northwest ¼ of section 24, township 4 north, range 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Samuel H. Kauffman and Simon D. Yoder, of Hubbard, Oregon, Jonas Y. Kauffman, of Needy, Oregon, and John C. Mullein, of Vernonia, Oregon.
d1j5 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
November 10, 1899.

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 Register and Receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on December 22nd, 1899, viz:

ERNEST GRANDGEORGE,

Homestead entry 10606, for the southeast ¼ of section 4, township 5 north, range 3 west.

He names the following witness to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: James M. Archibald, Cook Gamble, Christin Felber and James Cook, all of Goble, Oregon.
n17d22 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
Nov. 4th, 1899.

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 the County Clerk of Columbia county, at St. Helens, Oregon, on December 16th, 1899, viz:

JESSE A. FINEOUT,

Homestead entry 9698, for the lots 1 and 2 section 5, township 3 north, range 4 west, and south ½ of the southeast ¼ of section 32, township 4 north, range 4 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Harry Slooman, of Forest Grove, Oregon; Silas A. Bowers, John Lucas and Frank Keefe, of Buxton, Oregon.
CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE AT OREGON CITY, OR.,
October 23d, 1899.

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 the County Clerk of Columbia County, at St. Helens, Oregon, on December 9th, 1899, viz:

HANS CHRISTENSEN,

Homestead entry No. 10012, for the northeast ¼ of section 23, township 4 north, range 5 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Ernest G. Shannahan, J. P. Sheeley and John Smith, of Vernonia, Oregon, and Adolph Bergerson, of Kist, Oregon.
o27d1 CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

PETITION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

To the Honorable County Court of Columbia County, Oregon. We, the undersigned legal voters, residing in Deer Island precinct, Columbia County, State of Oregon, would respectfully petition your honorable body, at its next regular term, which will be held on the 3rd day of January, 1900, in the Court House, in the City of St. Helens, Columbia County, State of Oregon, that a license be granted to O. E. Hunter to sell spirituous, vinous and malt liquors in quantities less than one gallon, in Deer Island precinct, in said County and State, and that said license be granted for a period of one year, for all of which we will ever pray: Dated, Goble, Oregon, this 25th day of October, 1899.

W C Burch, W G Hogan, W E Hunter, J H Blacketer, John Gillem, S R Foster, G C Jaquish, Victor Furer, J C Monroe, A Neer, Wm S Brudick, Emil Klessner, Charles Morel, Jos Lawrence, Leonard Reis, H H Blake, C E Leavens, Alex Nichols, M Link, R Livingston, W E Delano, A F Batson, G Gruber, Fred Kobel, F L Sweet, Joseph Roth, L Bradley, Jas Kennedy, G S Foster, Peter Kramer, Mathias Lauffenburger, Thomos Peoples, O P Masten, Ben James, Frank Cleaver, Edward Christmann, J C Braddock, J M Fowler, Glen Link, E W Fowler, S E Butts, Jas Hulse, G C Fowler, Geo Foster, Jr, Thos Pollson, M W Bradley, H B Blake, Fred Woodham, Amey Link, Christ Felber, C C Fowler, J Despain, Wm F Clique, W Hastley, W W Scott, S C Hoadley, Wm McGregor, O A Spinney, George Pitsenberger, Otto Graf, F Brunner, I. Stehman. n24d22

SHERIFF'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.
Flora Wanty, plaintiff,
vs.
S. H. Kistner and Ellen Kistner, husband and wife, and R. L. Sabin, as assignee of Wadhams & Co., a private corporation, Buckingham & Hecht, a private corporation, J. Closset and A. H. Devers, Capen Shoe Company, a private corporation, Allen & Lewis, partners, Corbett & Macleay Co., a private corporation, Charles Hegele and L. F. H. Lecompte, partners under the name of Charles Hegele & Co., The G. H. Hammond Co., a private corporation, Page & Son, a private corporation, M. Seller and P. Lowengart, partners under the firm name of M. Seller & Co., Adam Grant, Henry M. Murphy, Jos. A. Ford, Jos. D. Grant and Hugh Whipple, partners under the name of Grant, Murphy & Co., Ralph Brown, A. Brown and Bahr Seedeman, partners as Brown Brothers & Co., Julius Triest, Bernard Triest and Jessie Triest, partners under the name of Triest & Co., August Schilling and Geo. F. Volkman, partners under the name of A. Schilling & Co., J. Doan, as assignee for the benefit of creditors of A. P. Aarys and S. H. Kistner, partners doing business under the firm name of Aarys & Kistner, — Holmes, as assignee of Meier & Frank Co., a private corporation, Gotalan & Co., a private corporation, and the Union Meat Co., a private corporation,
Defendants.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION, JUDGment, order and decree, duly issued out of and under the seal of the above-entitled court, in the above-entitled cause, to me duly directed, and dated November 1st, 1899, upon a judgment and decree rendered and entered in said court on the 19th day of October, 1899, in favor of the above-named plaintiff, and against the above-named defendants, for the sum of $1127, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the 19th day of October, 1899, and the further sum of $120, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the 19th day of October, 1899, and the further sum of $44.50, costs and disbursements and the costs of and upon this writ, commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following described property, to-wit: The west ½ of the southwest ¼, and the southeast ¼ of the southwest ¼ of section 21, township 7 north, range 2 west of the Willamette meridian. Now, therefore, by virtue of said execution, judgment, order and decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will, on Monday, the 4th day of December, 1899, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the county courthouse, in the city of St. Helens, said county and state, sell, subject to repemption, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for United States gold coin, cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the above-named defendants, or either of them, had, in and to the foregoing-described premises, all in said county and state, at the date of plaintiff's mortgage, or since had, to satisfy said execution, judgment, order and decree, interest, costs and all accruing costs.

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