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COUNTY OFFICERS.
 Representative.....Norman Merrill, Clatskanie
 Joseph G. Wall, St. Helens
 Sheriff.....G. H. Hatten, St. Helens
 Treasurer.....E. Ross, St. Helens
 Assessor.....Martin White, St. Helens
 Surveyor.....A. B. Little, Heolton
 Coroner.....H. A. Frakes, Clatskanie
 Commissioners.....W. D. Case, Pittsburg



FEBRUARY 28, 1902.

COLUMBIA, as well as the other counties in the western portion of Oregon, is especially adapted for dairying. An example of what might be accomplished here each year in this line is shown by the results in Tillamook county during 1901. In that year the shipments from that county were as follows: Boxes of butter, 2,071; pounds of butter, 124,200; boxes of cheese, 9,700; pounds of cheese, 582,000; value, \$68,200; total value of butter and cheese shipments, \$83,062.

The sooner that any community of people learn that to get even with an enemy is not the highest ambition of life, the sooner will that community thrive and be happy. It is far better to condone slight grievances than to stir up strife among neighbors and friends by trying to secure redress and revenge. Life is too short to spend it in the indulgence of petty malice and jealousy. Every good citizen owes it to himself and to the community in which he lives to use his best endeavor to keep down the animosities that are beneath the notice of men, yet are of so great injury to the peace of his home.

Since the meeting of the county central committee last Saturday greater interest and vigor has been injected into local politics. As the campaign progresses a great deal of talk which is now being indulged in will not only appear silly, but it will not be encouraged or countenanced. It is a laudable ambition to aspire to office, and because a man chooses to announce himself as a candidate, or because his friends are inclined to push him to the front, it does not make him a target for abuse and vilification. When the proper time comes we will announce the names of all those persons who have been spoken of for nomination and election to office.

This interest which is now being manifested in the creamery business by the farmers of the Nehalem valley, about Vernonia, is a condition of affairs to be encouraged and praised. This line of business will do more to help the community than any other one thing within the reach of the people themselves. The introduction of cream separators in the valley should encourage every farmer to increase his herd, and his annual income will be correspondingly increased. By means of cream separators, and by so doing you will have paved the way to success in your farming endeavors. This movement is one that has long been needed in that section.

It will be harder to hit the polygamists of Utah, if there are any such, now than it was while they were a territory. The state government and state courts are controlled by the Mormons. All Mormons are polygamists. Those who were polygamists were understood to have given up polygamy before Utah entered statehood in 1896. The renunciation of that practice permanently was made a condition precedent to the erection of Utah into a state. The state-makers pledged themselves to prevent polygamy, and to expel it if it should arise in their state. The country took the Mormons at their word. If they have deceived the country—and many persons on the ground say they have—the proposition for a constitutional amendment will find many supporters. Let the polygamists, if there are any, beware.

Let all voters understand that they must again register if they would take a part in the approaching county and state elections. The law is very explicit and those who neglect to observe it will be subjected to great inconvenience on election day, and possibly may be denied the privilege of voting. Registration requires only a few moments time. The voter is required to give his name, age, occupation, place of residence and place of birth. If he is foreign-born, he must state the court from which his naturalization papers were issued, as well as the date of issuance. Then he must sign his name in the general roll, which is part of the county records, and in the precinct register, which is used at the polling places as a check. One minute will suffice for the formality of registration. Be sure that you are acquainted with the very little information that is required of you. Above all things, do not wait until the last moment, for there is always a rush that is disagreeable. In short, register now.

We are proud of the fact that there is a stir being made in our county looking to the speedy installation of manufacturing plants, the erection of wood and lumber roads, and the development and general utilization of our hitherto undeveloped rich and abundant resources. This promises to be a red-letter year in the history of our marvellously rich county, when money and influence are to turn their currents of energy and industry loose in our midst. When the energies that are promised to extend to our forests become a realization, a new era of prosperity will come to our people that heretofore has been but an imagery of their dreams. The building of railroads and flumes into our timber belts will attract myriads of men. All these things mean an increase of population, of work, of wages, of homemaking, of utilization of raw material, of output of finished product, and a marvelous accretion of the wealth and commercial importance of Columbia county.

Tax habit of finding fault is disagreeable and contemptible. It is akin to the habit of saying sharp things about the little faults of other people. Both habits spring from conceit and both are inconsistent with the state of being a gentleman or a gentleman. Persons addicted to the vice of fault-finding distort the truth and cultivate a mental strabismus in order to indulge their malicious inclination. They will poke their noses into the affairs of other people and then lie about what they have collected. They will pick flaws in the work of fellow employees and complain to their employer, although they may be fully aware that the flaws are trivial and the complaints not only officious but hypocritical. They will impose an evil construction of the conduct of their friends and will judge a careless speech or an innocent thought, perhaps thoughtless act, as though it were a premeditated and deliberate attempt to give offense. They will go to the houses of people and repay hospitality with ridicule and backbiting. They will invite people to their homes and whisper malicious remarks about their guests. They will repeat slanders without scruple, and they never doubt a story that is discreditable to any one. Subjects of this unpleasant habit suffer from it more than do the targets of their ill-natured remarks. A malicious critic estranges friends and makes enemies. It lowers the esteem of those who laugh with him. His auditors know that they, too, will come in for similar unfair criticism, and they despise the man who entertains them, as it were, by mangling his absent friends. Charity of thought is a net of greatness of soul, and is also a valuable commercial asset, for it attracts the respect and friendship of men and women.

The house made a quick and clean job with the bill to repeal the war revenue act of 1888. It passed the bill by a unanimous vote. Scarcely is there any measure as there has been on this bill. According to the estimates, the bill will cut down the revenues about \$75,000,000 a year. Many persons think that some of these taxes ought to be retained for a year or two longer, in view of the fact that many projects are on foot which, if adopted, will call for a large expenditure of money. But it seems to be the opinion of the house that this money can be spared. The senate, to be sure, is yet to be heard from, and nobody can forecast with any approach to confidence what the senate will do on anything. The changes, however, are that the primary election will make no important change in this measure. If it becomes a law, as it probably will, all the remaining Spanish war taxes except that on mixed flour, which is of very little consequence, will be removed. This cut stands a chance to bring next year's surplus down to small figures.

The county central republican committee for this county has met and issued a call for a county convention to be held at the county seat on the 10th of March. Let us impress upon the mind of the voter the importance which attaches to the primary election. It is then and there that the real work of the party is done, and it is the duty of every voter to attend the primary and assist in seeing the work well and properly done. Let us impress upon the mind of the voter the importance which attaches to the primary election. It is then and there that the real work of the party is done, and it is the duty of every voter to attend the primary and assist in seeing the work well and properly done. Let us impress upon the mind of the voter the importance which attaches to the primary election. It is then and there that the real work of the party is done, and it is the duty of every voter to attend the primary and assist in seeing the work well and properly done.

Is the part of the state where the writer lives, a good year ago nearly every man had a long face with a tired look but it is different since the cow came to the rescue, says a correspondent of the Dakota Farmer. Their features have broadened and each one now wears a smile. Farms that were deserted a few years ago and were offered for sale for a few hundred dollars are now being bought from \$25 to \$30 an acre. Hand-some houses and commodious barns are dotting the prairies, and a feeling of contentment prevails. The towns are filled with people, so much so that one can scarcely find a house to rent. This change has all come about because the cow has come to the rescue.

One of the hardest problems in life is to fully understand another man's business. While this is a most difficult thing to do, so many seem to feel that they have solved it and can tell more of the business of another than they can of their own. The man who is not engaged in farming knows how easy it is and just how to make it win, and he sees no hard problem in farming. Many have had an opportunity to know better than this. Every man who has tried it is in a position to know this, and he is usually ready to admit that it requires brains and a lot of hard work and privation of luxuries and pleasures of life to run a farm.

In this issue we print a synopsis of the new tax law, which every taxpayer should carefully read, as the manner and time of paying taxes has been radically changed from the old method. The new law will work a hardship upon those who do not fully understand its provisions, and will cause the officers serious inconvenience.

More (back) There Yet.
 Late developments give us an opportunity to furnish our readers with another chapter of the Moreback-Kenwick history, something of which has been told in recent issues of This Mist. Mr. Frank J. Peterson, of near Mist, this week laid claim to one or two of the animals which constitute the fairly good sized herd claimed by Gerhart Moreback, whose preserve lies west of Bunker hill. Mr. Peterson tracked his animal to Moreback's place last fall, but did not inspect the premises thoroughly, hence he did not get the cow, but since he has read a few chapters of the story in the county papers within the last two or three weeks he determined to make a closer examination of the premises, and took witnesses along to identify his animal, which was readily done when Moreback's barn was entered. Mr. Peterson came to St. Helens early this week and elicited the assistance of Constable Godfrey. The officer and Mr. Peterson went to Moreback's place and took the animal, notwithstanding the protests of the latter man that the cow is his, which, perhaps, is, however, only by reason of possession. The animal was taken away yesterday, and left Schoback's place. Mr. Peterson knows the animal belongs to him as well as Moreback knows that it does not belong to him. There is all kinds of excitement in store in regard to this matter, and we close this chapter subject to a continuation of the story almost any time. From what can be learned there are several head of cattle "more back" there.

Cowlitz County's Crusher.
 This item is clipped from the last issue of the Cowlitz Gazette.
 "The Castle Rock Advocate, in speaking of the success of the rock crusher which the commissioners of Cowlitz county, Wash., purchased some time ago, says:
 "Cowlitz county may well rejoice in the possession of an engine and a rock crusher, which stand under a shed in the dry, while the roads remain in about the same condition as before the county made the purchase."
 If the commissioners of Cowlitz county allow their crusher to remain where it is the condition of the roads over there will remain just as it is, also. The \$2500 or \$3000 invested in the machine is a dead horse and the county has a "white elephant" on its hands. So long as the machine has been purchased, its usefulness should be demonstrated. Other counties are eagerly watching developments in counties where crushers have been bought, but if the example over in Cowlitz is to be emulated we have our opinion that the effect will not be very salutary. Benton county papers have recently told the same story of the two crushers purchased by that county. Our advice would be either to ship the machines back to the junk store or put them to work.

This Year's Registrations.
 Although the registration books have been open two months, there are only about one-third of the voters of the county registered. However, there are eight or nine weeks remaining in which the voter has to comply with the law in this respect, but delays are sometimes dangerous. Up to Wednesday night the following number of registrations from each precinct are given in the outside columns of figures. The first column of figures is the total registration of each precinct two years ago:

1908	1902	
Auburn.....	150	65
Apriary.....	23	33
Beaver Falls.....	100	21
Clatskanie.....	230	110
Dear Island.....	50	14
Gale.....	106	37
Marshall.....	63	12
Nehalem.....	98	3
Oak Point.....	128	56
Rainier.....	105	36
Scappoose.....	115	14
Union.....	230	108
Warren.....	83	28

Circuit Judge McBride no longer wears the mustache that formerly adorned his face. Yesterday afternoon a reporter stopped the judge on the street to joke him about the loss of his mustache, expressing the hope that his honor would permit it again to grow. Asked why he had so altered his personal appearance, Judge McBride replied: "The first of the month came around, and it was necessary for me to disguise myself or pay my bills. Being possessed of 15 cents, I got a shave. The judge is enjoying excellent health."
 -Astorian.

When you lack energy, do not relish your food, feel dull and stupid after eating, all you need is a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They will make you feel like a new man and give you an appetite like a bear. For sale at the St. Helens pharmacy.

Real Estate Transfers.
 L. F. Banner to J. B. Yeon, right of way for railroad; \$50.
 M. Both, assignee, to Western Cedar Co., right of way for flume; \$100.
 Daniel Berg to J. C. Miller and James Bryden, 8 1/2 of ne 1/4 of section 1, tp 6 n, r 5 west; \$150.
 W. J. Deitz to W. B. Dillard, 8 1/2 of ne 1/4 of section 4, tp 6 n, r 3 west, quitclaim; \$25.
 Emma Duncan and Mary Grewell to W. J. and R. F. Fullerton, undivided 1/2 interest in lot 1, section 36, tp 4 n, r 2 west; \$250.
 Joseph Erickson to Olaf Kurtti, 8 1/2 of ne 1/4 of section 35, tp 8 n, r 4 w; \$600.
 Florence M. Flippin to Nancy A. Johnson, lots 7 and 8, Flippin's subdivision of lot 1, Tichenor's addition; \$80.
 S. A. Miles to Mary Wellington, west 56 feet of lot 3, block 19, St. Helens; \$1.
 F. M. Merriam to Nancy A. Johnson, lot 6, Tichenor's first addition to Clatskanie; \$260.
 C. L. Olson to A. J. Gragg, 1/2 of sw 1/4 and sw 1/4 of ne 1/4 of section 1, tp 5 n, r 2 west; \$1750.
 Fannie Porter to Emma L. Cole, w 1/2 of nw 1/4 and w 1/2 of section 20, tp 4 n, r 4 west; \$500.
 A. D. Ruddiman to T. W. Nordby, 1/2 of ne 1/4 and 1/2 of nw 1/4 of section 13, tp 5 n, r 5 west; \$650.
 J. H. Wellington to Mary Wellington, lots 1, 2, 20, 21 and 22, block 19, St. Helens; \$675.
 United States to A. D. Ruddiman, Christian Johnson and M. H. Royer, patents.

Old-timers have observed many things about the weather conditions and have many things to say on this subject that are reasonable. A party stated that it was now almost too late to expect any snow to fall this year, even in the mountains. He said there was very little snow in the mountains, in many places where there is usually snow at this season, there is none at all at present. From this state of affairs he argues that there is little danger of severe frosts later on. It is to be hoped that his weather forecast will prove to be correct.

"I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a number of years and have no hesitancy in saying that it is the best remedy for coughs, colds and croup I ever used." A party stated that he did not wish to express my confidence in this remedy.—Mrs. J. A. Moore, North Star, Mich. For sale at the St. Helens pharmacy.

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Old Orchards.
 An orchardist of experience was discussing the condition of numerous old orchards of this section a few days ago, and gave it as his opinion that a lot of good healthy pruning was a most desirable thing when dealing with an orchard covered with moss and the weeds and brush there is a superabundance of moss it forms a desirable place for codlin moths and other insect pests during the winter, and their presence is felt later on. The moss should all be scraped off and the trees freely sprayed with Bordeaux mixture.

The dead limbs should all be taken off and the trees pretty well pruned down. For the first year or two after a vigorous pruning the orchard will not produce very much fruit, but what it does yield will be first-class. The year or two that follows the pruning cannot be counted as lost, because the fruit produced prior to that time was worthless. It takes a new, healthy growth of timber to produce a rich, luscious fruit.

Sweet Silage.
 The Oregon Agricultural college, which is in advance on the silo question, has proved that the sweet silage which is preserved by mere heating is much more reliable by stock and more profitable than the common silage. If the Agricultural college can demonstrate this to practical use it has indeed made a great discovery for the stockmen of the country.

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 A Legacy of the Grip.
 Is often a run-down system. Weakness, nervousness, lack of appetite, energy and ambition, with disordered liver and kidneys often follow an attack of this wretched disease. The greatest need then is Electric Bitters, the splendid tonic, blood purifier and regulator of stomach, liver and kidneys. Those who have proved that they wonderfully strengthen the nerves, build up the system, and restore to health and good spirits after an attack of grip. If suffering, try them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed at the St. Helens pharmacy.

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 Meals Served on Short Notice.
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Iowa Justice.
 Here is a curious piece of Iowa justice, or law. A young woman became engaged to a young man, a very common occurrence in Iowa, as elsewhere, but shortly before the time set for the wedding, he died. Whereupon the heart-broken bride-to-be has been sued his estate for damages for breach of promise, and a jury awarded her \$6000, although the breach consisted in his death, which was involuntary on his part, and doubtless disagreeable to him, even if he was engaged to marry this particular young woman.

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 The best and most famous compound in the world to coquer aches and kill pains. Cures cuts, heats, burns and bruises. Millions of boxes sold yearly. Works wonders in boils, fevers, ulcers, skin eruptions. It cures or no pay. 26 cents at the St. Helens pharmacy.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Mahala Fowler, an insane person, Dated February 21, 1902. F. F. FOWLER, Administrator.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been by the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, appointed guardian of the estate of Mahala Fowler, an insane person, and that all persons having claims against said estate are required to present the same, properly verified, to me at the office of E. E. Quick, in St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice. C. F. FOWLER, Guardian of the estate of Mahala Fowler, an insane person. Dated February 21, 1902. F21m21

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned administrator of the estate of Anson J. Orwig, deceased, under and by virtue of a court order, dated January 7th, 1902, by the County Court of Columbia County, Oregon, will, at the front door of the court house in St. Helens, Oregon, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon on Saturday, the 22nd day of March, 1902, proceed to offer for sale, and will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following-described premises, to-wit: The northwest quarter section 36, township 5 n, range 5 west of the Willamette meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less.

LIQUOR LICENSE PETITION.
 To the Honorable County Court of the County of Columbia and State of Oregon: We the undersigned legal voters, residing in the above-entitled unit, County, State of Oregon, would respectfully petition your honorable body, at its next regular session, to be held at the Court House, Columbia County, Oregon, beginning on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, 1902, that a license be granted to Louis Fisher to sell spirits, vinous and malt liquors in said precinct, in less quantities than one gallon, and that said license be granted for a period of one year, for all of which your petitioners will ever pray:
 J. A. Kemp, Axel Stockenberg, C. R. Dittler, James W. Keating, J. W. Mason, John H. Egan, J. A. Quigley, The Mayer Company, by H. Henderson, Henry Henderson, Charles Mayer, A. J. Taylor, E. B. Taylor, Charles Ternahan, E. J. Quinn, G. A. Myers, Elmer Fields, Nels Larson, J. J. Marshall, Jas. Stockenberg, J. A. McNeal, Wm. Williams, Wm. F. Schickel, Wm. Fisher, Wm. Anderson, F. D. Crandall, Ed. Carlson, C. S. Fullam, A. E. McGraw, H. Holapple, J. J. Brugg, J. B. Burnett, Chas. Nichols, Wm. McDonald, J. C. Atchison, Jonas Johnson, Clark Cooley, Bob Ternahan, R. H. King, R. S. Faxon, E. E. Barnes, James Fincher, Guy E. Barnes, C. W. Lowe, W. E. Jones, L. L. Lupien, A. B. Smith, G. D. Atchison, C. H. Jones, Richard Henderson, William H. Hunsano, Tone Taylor, A. F. Moursaw, S. R. Norgren.

SUMMONS.
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County.
 M. J. Kinney, plaintiff,
 vs.
 I. G. Wickstrom, Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, and Charles Andrews, defendants.
 To G. W. Anderson, Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, and Charles Andrews, the above named defendants: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled suit, within the time hereinafter stated for you to do so, or the named plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief requested, which is in and to the substance that a certain tax deed, executed by the sheriff of Columbia county, dated and recorded on May 24th, 1900, at pages 48 and 49 of Vol. "W" of the records of sheriff's deeds of said Columbia County, Oregon, and for the west half of section nineteen and the south half of section thirty, in township five north of range five west of the Willamette meridian, and in Columbia County, Oregon, and also a certain quitclaim deed executed by defendants, I. G. Wickstrom and Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, to defendant, Charles Andrews, dated November 24th, 1901, and recorded December 11th, 1901, on page 24 of volume "W" of the records of said Columbia County, Oregon, and for said south half of said section thirty be cancelled and held to be null and void, and that plaintiff have a decree of said court setting aside said deed, and that plaintiff be decreed to be the owner of all said real estate in simple and, and that defendants be decreed to have no right, title or interest in or to the same, or any portion thereof, and also that plaintiff have and recover of and from defendants the cost and disbursements of this suit, and have such other relief as in equity may appear just. This summons is published in THE OREGON MIST once a week for six weeks, pursuant to order for such publication of the same, made by the Hon. J. W. BORD, County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, dated February 7th, 1902, directing the publication of the same in said newspaper for said purpose, and that the first publication of this summons is February 14th, 1902; and you and each of you are required to answer this summons, and to appear in court before the last day of said period of six weeks from said date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: March 28th, 1902, or the plaintiff will apply to the above-entitled and mentioned court for the relief herebefore mentioned, and held to be null and void, and that plaintiff have and recover of and from defendants the cost and disbursements of this suit, and have such other relief as in equity may appear just. This summons is published in THE OREGON MIST once a week for six weeks, pursuant to order for such publication of the same, made by the Hon. J. W. BORD, County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, dated February 7th, 1902, directing the publication of the same in said newspaper for said purpose, and that the first publication of this summons is February 14th, 1902; and you and each of you are required to answer this summons, and to appear in court before the last day of said period of six weeks from said date of the first publication of this summons, to wit: March 28th, 1902, or the plaintiff will apply to the above-entitled and mentioned court for the relief herebefore mentioned, and held to be null and void, and that plaintiff have and recover of and from defendants the cost and disbursements of this suit, and have such other relief as in equity may appear just. JOHN H. AND A. M. SMITH, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

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READ UP	READ DOWN	READ UP	READ DOWN
24	22	21	23
P. M.	A. M.	A. M.	P. M.
7:00	8:00	10:15	9:40
8:00	9:00	11:15	10:40
9:00	10:00	12:15	11:40
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 Leaves Portland on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a. m. for St. Helens, Kalama, Carroll's Point, Rainier and Kelso. Arriving at Portland Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 p. m. Wharf foot of Salmon St. H. HOLMAN, Agent.

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