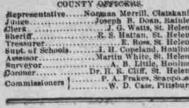
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MARCH 7, 1902.

community grow and prosper. All that ever, will have all he can attend to. is needed is energy and capital to take hold of the resources that nature has furnished. To some extent both these of a new era in the business history of our county will be the result.

we are to believe reports, actual con- county. struction work on the independent line will be in progress in a very short time. Skepticism hovers about every move that is made and every word that is to be held on Thursday, March 20th. to be held on Thursday, March 20th. to be held on Thursday, March 20th. Every voter in the county of that political faith should turn out on that political faith should turn out on that occasion and as often crushed by disappointment that there no longer remains the slightest element of confidence in anything that is said or done.

Lockjaw From Cobwebs. dence in anything that is said or done. No doubt the gentlemen who are endesworing to promote this great undertaking are encouraged, but efforts have the best thing to put on a cut is Buckso repeatedly finited that no confidence len's Arnica Salve, the infallible healer so repeatedly fiailed that no confidence is placed in anything that is said or done in this connection,

roads convention, when the supervisors, members of the county commissioners' court and citizens generally get together and discuss the question of improving the public thoroughfares. People who have attended these conventions believe that they are conducive of much good and more than justify the slight expense incurred, as they stir up the settlers to the need of doing something to better their condition and encourage movements in the line of highway building that would otherwise never have NEARLY every county in the state has assuredly be a capital thing for Columbia county as there is probably no portion of Oregon where an improvement in the condition of the public highways is more badly needed than here.

As the time draws near for holding considered very dangerously sick, died very suddenly. About ten days ago Mr. Little went to Arizona upon the advice men who would be available timber for nomination to the various offices is being made. There are some of such sanouncements in this issue of this paper, to which we direct the attention of our readers. This method of conducting politics is perfectly honorable and legitimate and demonstrates that these gentlemen are endeavoring to be straightforward in their efforts. This paper claims no further responsibility in the matter than the giving to the sanouncements the space they occupy. We believe men are in politics not for glory, but for means of making money, and we know that we are not in the peeps peep to be the sanouncements for our health. If the sanouncements for our health. If the was a member of the local lodge of the body will be peeps per business for our health. If the sanouncements in the paper chains and the during the was a member of the local lodge of the body will be peeps per business for our health. If the was a member of the local lodge of the body will take the was a member of the local lodge of the column of the co the republican county convention the pewspaper business for our health. If Masons, and that organization will take health were the heighth of our aims we charge of the body and conduct the funeral. Mr. Little has served in the would go to piling cordwood, This paper does not seek, never has sought to dictate the nominees of the republican vidual had a wider acquaintance throughout the county. hence the anpaper does not seek, never has sought to dictate the nominees of the republican party of this county, hence the announcements that are made in this respect should not be sonsidered or understood as being of a dictatorial nature.

"logging stream law," has been declared secretary. "logging stream law," has been declared an unconstitutional act by Judge R. P. Boise, of the 3rd judicial district of this state. The Nehalem river and its tribused in the fourth Tuesday in May. taries in Columbia and Clatsop counties and other streams in Columbia county have been filed upon by corporate comhave been filed upon by corporate companies, elaiming the right under the act referred to, to monopolize the use of those streams to their own pagniary benefits. However, at the time these filings were made we believe the parties claiming the rights had but a vague hope of being able to hold the streams to their advantage. The law provides that within ninety days after the filing has been made, steps must be taken to affort being made in this direction in any case in this sounty. It seems to go

without saying that the parties interested in the maintainance of that law believed it would be declared unconsti-

Don'v read this matter of news. It is in regard to politics. You should not care anything about such matters unless you have interest enough to get out at the primaries and assist in the work of electing delegates to the rounty convention who will stand for men as nominees of the party who are desired by the majority of the people. Unless you do this, you should take your medicine like a man. Do not remain away from the primaries and then find fault with what the delegates did at the convention. It is your duty to be at the primaries and the normal stands of the company will sanction the move.

Be Bullt at Once.

Mr. John McCracken, of Portland, president of the company incorporated over a year ago, to project a railroad from Portland to Tillamook, has completed his field work and regotiations with English capitalists and and submitted to the incorporators of the company a detailed report of his labors, together with the assurance that construction could be begun on the line in sixty days if the board of directors of the company will sanction the move.

Mr. McCracken and his company endeavored to secure trackage over the lines of either the Northern or Southern Pacific for ten miles or such a matter, out of Portland, no order to save the expense of that much construction, but the \$1.00 majority of the people. Unless you do is your duty to be at the primaries and endeavor to elect delegates to the county convention who will strive to their support for office should desire that every voter of his party in every precinct should be present at the primary. There and then the will of the party is, or should be, expressed in favor or against any certain man as the nominee of this convention, and the results of the primary election should also be any as to the result of the general election. Get the voice of the people at the primary and you have a pretty good idea of what the result of the election will be.

There is no provision for the duties of the third clock or the first alerton.

Miles to cut lumber and plants to the third clerk on the first election manufacture our natural products into board, which is the board working durants for the markets of the world is ing the day receiving votes. The third having meantly discovered a very practical county needs, and is also what Columbia county needs, and is also otherwise the contemplated commercial movewhat the contemplated commercial move- nothing to do on the day of election but what the contemplated commercial move-ments will bring about at no distant day. sit around and look pleasant. He could, In columbia county is to be found every-of course, be used to relieve one of the cessive rock-cutting. In order to satisfy In columbia county is to be found every- of course, be used to relieve one of the thing that nature could provide to sup- other clerks when one becomes tired. port the industries that would make a The third clerk on the night shift, how-

requisites have been found and a dawn- tends an untimely ending of the official. TALK of constructing a railroad from Mr. Hayes, died near the end of his Portland to Tillamook has been revived first term. The death of Mr. Hayes was with a great deal of vigor seemingly in- no surprise, but Mr. Little's sudden jected into the movement. In fact, if taking off shocks everyone in the

Cobwebs put on a cut lately gave a woman lockjaw. Millions know that of wounds, ulcers, sores, skin eruptions, burns, scalds and piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at the St, Helens phar-macy.

For Representative.

movements in the line of highway building that would otherwise never have been started. Such a convention would well represented and protected in the state legislature by an efficient and trustworthy citizen.

Death of Mr. A. B. Little.

The people of this county were shocked on Monday to hear of the death of Mr. A. B. Little, who, while not hav-ing been ill but a short time, nor was he considered very dangerously sick, died very suddenly. About ten days ago Mr. Little went to Arizona upon the advice

PORTLAND TO TILLAMOOK. Railway Company Says Line Will be Built at Once.

Pacific for ten miles or control of the property of the most of the most of the property of the property of the most of them for trackage facilities, hence of them for the formation of the form carry out your wishes. The man who of them for trackage facilities, hence expects to go before the people asking an independent line is agreed upon their support for office should desire. This condition of affairs has resulted their support for office should desire. favorably to the project, as capitalists have since declared that their money ould not have been secured to construct the remaining part of the road had an agreement been made with either of the memtioned companies to use their track-age into the Portland terminal grounds. Two different companies stand ready

aspirant for office who is afraid of the to advance the new railroad company results of the primary election should cash on its bonds at the rate of \$18,000

of course, be used to relieve one of the other clerks when one becomes tired. The third clerk on the night shift, however, will have all he can attend to.

Or late years the election to the office of county surveyor in this county portends an untimely ending of the official. County Surveyor Little is the second official in that capacity to meet death within three years. His predecessor, Mr. Haves, died near the end of his cordingly, renewed applications, with cordingly, renewed applications, with specifications of details of traffic, etc., of the direct line into Portland, have been transmitted to those various financiers who last summer entertained our

trackage connection bonds and at that time made special examination of the terms on which they can acquire our bonds and stocks, and while such negotiations are necessarily slow, on account of the frequent reference to their principals, there is every indication that they will be able to give your company obligations to commence construction within sixty days and contract for the completion of our first sixty-eight miles of railway in exchange for stock and proceeds of bonds to be delivered them only after each ten miles of railway are

At a meeting of the organizers of this company held in Portland last Saturday it was practically agreed by the intending purchasers of the bonds that their part of the work could be definitely arranged in ten days, and everything now indicates that there is some hope of rail connection between Portland and Tillamook within the next year or two

Haylog a Run on Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Between the hours of eleven o'clock

Articles of incorporation of the Columbis & Nehalem Valley Railway Company were filed in the office of the county his home has been for four or five years.

Humbers of people of the Northwest counties of Oregon, and especially a great many people of this county, will hall with a degree of delight the fact that the law enacted by the last legislature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been declared to order by Deputy Mass chall at Larsen as lature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been declared to order by Deputy Mass chall at Larsen as lature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been declared to order by Deputy Mass chall at Larsen as lature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been declared to order by Deputy Mass chall has Lillian Larsen as lature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been declared to order by Deputy Mass chall has Lillian Larsen as lature, called now, for convenience, the "logging stream law," has been for four or five years.

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A county convention of the Grange distance between these two places in a straight line is about 16 miles. Surveyors for the road have been in the field some days. It is understood to be the purpose of the incorporation to build the road without outside assistance.

For County Clerk.

Among the candidates most promi-nently mentioned for the nomination for county clerk before the republican con-vention soon to be held in this county, vention soon to be held in this county, is Andrew L. Clark, of Rainier. Mr. Clark is well and favorably known throughout the county, having resided at various places in the county during the past twelve or thirteen years. During the past four years he has been postmaster at Rainier, and his very efficient service in this and other capacities is apple assurance that he him the county.

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If members of the "Hay Fever Association" would use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, the club would such grand remedy for liver and bowel troubles was ever known before. Thousands the system. Thousands of once-hopeless sufferers from consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, owe their lives and bealth to it. It sonquers grip, saves the little ones from croup and whooping cough, and is positively guaranteed for all throat and lung troubles. 50c, \$1.00.

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John W. Reeder, a young man about twenty-five years of age, was accidently drowned near Rainier on Monday, while engaged at fishing for smelt. He was the youngest son of Mr. S. M. Reeder, of Sanyle's Ieland. The body was re-

macy. We have on hand now a stock of blank receipt books of our own manu-facture. These receipts are roomy and each book contains one hundred blanks.

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Chronic Diarrhoea.

Mr. C. B. Wingfield, of Fair Play, of Goble, will give a public dance at Mo., who suffered from chronic dysentery for thirty-five years, says Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy did him more good than any other medicine he had ever used. For sale at the St. Helens pharmacy.

Hercules Circle, Women of Woodcraft, of Goble, will give a public dance at that place on Saturday evening, March 15th. Tickets, including supper, will be sold at \$1.00. Victor Furer, Edgar Deane and George Archibaid constitute the committee, and a good time is assured those who attend.

the Chart Fletcheri

Constable Jim Godfrey is getting more genuine enjoyment cut of the Kenowski-Moreback episode than anybody else in the county. He takes a passes out to the hills nearly every morning, not necessarily for his health, however.

Mr. G. B. Vosberg, jr., of Thayer, Kansas, was in this city the latter part of last week paying taxes on the property belonging to the estate of his deceased father. Mr. Vosberg, deceased, owned a great deal of property in this county, principally timber, his individual tax amounting to over \$150.

Commissioner Frakes came down from Scappoose Tuesday evening and was on hand to assist in the work of the county court Wednesday morning.

NOTICE OF BOND SALE.

OFFICE OF THE CLERK OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

NO. 2, COLUMBIA COUNTY, OREGON.

ST. HELENS. OT., Feb. 28, 1992.

NOTICE IS HERKEY GIVEN TO THE BONA
fide residents of school district No. 2, Columbia county. Oregon, that an opportunity
will be given the residents of said district no. 2, the
soffice of the clerk of said district to subscribe to the amount of 18,709 for school bonds
of said district, at the rate of 5 per cant per
annum, redeemable after ten years, but due
and payable absolutely twenty years from date
of said bonds. Bids will be received up to the
lith of March. 1902, and the bonds are to be sold
at par value, in not less a sum than 150 each.

By order of the board of directors of school
district No. 2, Columbia county, Oregon.

E. E. QUICK, District Clerk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE been, by the Honorable 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. Helema, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice,

Guardian of the estate of Mahala Fowler

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has been by the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of William D. Conneil, deceased, and has qualified as such administrator. All persons having claims against the estate must present the same with proper vouchers and duly verified to the undersigned at the office of the County Clerk of said county, within air months from the date of this notice.

THOS. CONNEILS.

Administrator.

Harrison Allen, Astoria, Or., Attorney for Ad

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE
final account of my administration of the
estate of Henry C. Gragg, deceased, with will
annexed, has been rendered to the County
Court for Columbia county, Oregon, for settlement, and that MoBday, the 7th day of April,
1902, at 1 o'clock p. m., at the court-toom of said
Court, in St. Helens, Oregon, have been duly
fixed by said Court as the time and place for the
settlement of said final account; at which time
and place any person interested in said estate
may uppear and file his objections to said secount, and contest the same.

Administrator, with the will annexed, of the
estate of Henry C. Gragg, deceased.

Dated February 21, 1992.

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ADMINISTATOR'S SALE

NOTICE IS HEBERY GIVEN THAT THE NOTICE IS HEBERY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned administratiry of the estate of Anson. J. Grwig, deceased, under and by virtue of an order of sale made and dated January 7th, 1902, by the County Court of Columbia County, State of Oregon, will, at the front door of the court-bouse, in St. Helens, Oregon, at the hour of eleven o'elock, in the foremoon on Saturday, the 201 day of March, 1902, proceed to offer for sale, and will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following-dearribed premises, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section 26, township six morth of range five west of the Williametic meridian, containing 160 acres of land, more or less.

MARY M. ORWIG,
Administratrix of the estate of Anson J. Grwig, deceased.

Dated this flat day of February, 1902. Graham & Cleeton, Attorneys for Administratrix, film21

SUMMONS.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Columbia County. M. J. Kinney, plaintiff,

J. G. Wickstrom, Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, and Charles Andrews, defendants
To l. G. Wickstrom, Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, and Charles Andrews, the above-named defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON:
You and each of you are hereby required to

wife, and Charles Andrews, the above-named defendants.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: A 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 de so, or the above-named plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint, which is in substance that a certain tax deed, executed by the sheriff of Columbia county to said defendant, I. G. Wickstrom, dated May 22nd, 1889, and recorded on May 24th, 1899, a pages 68 and 49 of Vol. "W" of the records of sheriff's deeds of and for Columbia County, Oregon, and for the wast half of section nineteen and the south half of section thirty, in township five north of range one west of the Willamette meridian, and in Columbia County, Oregon, and also a certain quiticisin deed executed by defendants. I. G. Wickstrom and Alice D. Wickstrom, his wife, to defendant, Charles Andrews, dated November 5th, 1901, and recorded December. 11th, 1901, at page 534 of volume "Y" of the records of deeds of and for Columbia County, Oregon, and fine and the sum of the came of the secret of the sum of the records of deeds of and for Columbia County, Oregon, and fine the sum of the sum of the sum of the secret of the above-cuttiled court, and that taid plaintiff have a decree of said court quicting his title to ail of said real satate his ferniants to convey their interests in said real scate hereinbefore mentioned, and requiring all said defendants to convey their interests in said real estate in fee simple, and that defendants he 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 county of the rame, made by Hon. J. B. Dosa, the County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, dated February 7th, 1902, and directing the publication of the same, made by Hon. J. B. Dosa, the County Judge of Columbia County, Oregon, dated February 7th, 1902, and directing the publication of the same,

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