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OUR FUTURE SOIL GREATNESS.

There is a great future for farming operations in Columbia county—that is on a diversified plan. It has already been demonstrated that the logged off lands will produce any cereal, grass, or variety of fruit that can be grown in the Willamette valley, and, if anything the quality is better, as the soil is more productive. As a dairy section, it has been profitably tested, and it has also been demonstrated that it surpasses the Hood River country in the quality of first products. The country extending back to Yankton and through Bachelor flat to Sappoose is comparatively level, and will yet be the richest section of Oregon. Only a small percentage of the land has yet been put under cultivation, but the stumps are gradually being taken out of the ground a little at a time. The exhibit at the open Grange meeting at Yankton is an indication of what this country will produce. Potatoes, 150 sacks to the acre, and other varieties of vegetables in like ratio. These same conditions apply to the soil in every section of Columbia county. There are two great sources of possible revenue from Columbia county soil. First, the timber for lumber and wood, and second, the products of the soil. Farming, yet will become one of the greatest industries of Columbia county, but it will be of the diversified kind that makes communities wealthy.

The forest reserve policy, as it is being promoted in Oregon, to form bases for lieu land funds, will come as near putting the Republican party out of business as anything ever. The President and all interested better drop Eastern college theories long enough to realize that the reserve system and the frauds connected therewith are a long way from the Abe Lincoln homestead policy, on which the Republican party got its first great start in business. It might be a sane policy to restrict grants of public lands to men with families who are bona fide home-makers, or persons declaring their intention to make a home for a family, and not give them the deed for the 160 acres until they have a family of at least two children to show evidence of good faith. This would be more in accord with President Roosevelt's anti-land-grabbing talk, than allowing great corporations to gobble up the public lands by means of the scrip frauds.—Salem Capital Journal.

The annual convention of the Oregon Good Roads Association will convene in Portland, October 23rd and 24th, and it is presumed that Columbia county will be fairly represented. James W. Abbot, U. S. Commissioner of good roads, will be one of the speakers at the convention. J. H. McDonald, commissioner of roads for the Rocky Mountain district, also is expected to be present. All county judges, commissioners, road supervisors, roadmasters, etc., are expected to be present. The county clerks, also have been asked to appoint five delegates from each county. There will be practical demonstrations of road work in and around Portland, although it is hardly likely that any of the demonstrators have had practical experience in Oregon roads.

DEPLORABLE MAIL SYSTEM.

Since July 1st the people of St. Helens have submitted to the most inconvenient mail service imaginable. The first mail goes out to Houlton about 9:30 in the forenoon, and all letters to the Nehalem country and down river points, must lay over at Houlton until the next day. For a wonder, this morning trip does connect with one mail—the 10:24 to Portland. This however, may be more of a matter of accident than design. It is a fact that there is no afternoon train mail to Portland. The afternoon service is still worse. This outgoing mail does not connect with anything except this air. It also lays over at Houlton until the next day. For awhile under the provisions of the new schedule, the afternoon mail reached here from Houlton about 5 o'clock, but this gave people an opportunity to get their mail too early in the day. It is now nearly six when the mail reaches here. Another change or two, and there would be no mail connections whatever between St. Helens and the train. It looks as though there might be a conspiracy to shut off St. Helens supply of mail entirely. Under the present schedule, persons in various sections of the county, writing to the county seat on important matters, are unable to get a reply under three or four days. Because St. Helens was made the permanent county seat, is no reason that it should rub it in on other people in the county in the matter of mail facilities. This change of the schedule on the first day of last July was an outrage, and why the superintendent of the mail service for this district, does not personally investigate the matter, without taking someone else's word for the status of the present conditions, is a wonder. This mail service is of vastly more importance than kicking about a means by little postoffice, that would starve one death, if they had to depend on it for livelihood.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Docket for October Term, Which convenes Tuesday, Oct. 13th

LAW CASES. L. P. Aylesworth vs J. M. Archibald; G. W. Joseph attorney for plaintiff. C. G. Caples vs F. Vivian; W. H. Powell for plaintiff, and Dillard & Day for defendant. Richard Martin vs Martin White, et al.; S. M. Gruber for plaintiff, and Dillard & Day for defendants. Clyde Richards vs Columbia Logging Company; Dillard & Day for plaintiff. A. Leecher & Sons, Rope Co. vs R. S. Hottan, sheriff; Cake & Cake for plaintiffs and Dolph, Malloy & Simon for defendant. E. O. Darling vs The Pittsburg Mill Company; Newton McCoy for plaintiff, and W. H. Powell for plaintiff. B. T. Smith vs McIntyre & Vincent; Graham & Cleaton for plaintiff. Joel and Mary Hill vs Joseph Haley; Dillard & Day for plaintiff, W. H. Conyers for defendant. Maria H. Girt v. O. B. & N. Co.; Henry E. and Charles M. McGinn for plaintiff, and Cotton, Teal & Minor for defendants. State of Oregon vs Hull; Harrison Allen for plaintiff. State of Oregon vs John D. ve. State of Oregon vs R. T. Graham. Columbia Logging Company vs Lone Star Lumber Co.; W. T. Muir for plaintiff, and C. J. Schnabel for defendant. L. Burnham vs George Wills, et al.; Graham & Cleaton for plaintiff. James Muckle jr. et al. vs The Lone Star Lumber Co.; J. C. Moreland for plaintiff, Schnabel for defendant. M. C. Gray vs F. C. Bunde; Powell for plaintiff. Ross, Higgins & Co. vs Karl and Mary Laurens; Fulton Bros for plaintiff. Joseph Silver vs The Western Cedar Co.; Chamberlain & Thomas for plaintiff, and W. A. Cleaton for defendant. The Benson Logging & Lumbering Co. vs Columbia County; Coover & Stapleton for plaintiff, and Harrison Allen for defendant. SUICIDE CASES. Lewis Love vs Jonathan Tice; E. A. and A. R. Mendenhall for plaintiff, and T. R. Cunningham for defendant. Alice Anderson vs Robert L. Anderson; George S. Shepherd for plaintiff. The American Mill Co., A. D. Miller vs Rachel I. Harris et al.; E. W. Bingham for plaintiff, Dillard & Day for defendant. Sarah J. Stewart vs Sallie Rice, et al.; Geo. P. Lent for plaintiff. H. T. Leff vs Star Logging Co.; L. H. McManis for plaintiff, T. N. Strong for defendant. W. W. Rountree vs Mary Knott, et al.; H. K. Sargent for plaintiff. Adolph Kuenel vs J. A. Reid et al.; U. Ken & Schuebel for plaintiff. C. W. Nottingham vs W. L. Brown et al.; A. King Wilson for plaintiff. M. Both, assignee vs Columbia Logging Company; George A. Hall for plaintiff, and S. C. Spencer for defendant. Russell E. Sewall vs John B. Erickson; Giltner & Sewall for plaintiff, Dillard & Day for defendant. Ananda Johnson vs Archibald L. Johnson; A. R. Mendenhall for plaintiff. M. Both, assignee vs W. V. Smith, et al.; W. C. Fischer and G. A. Hall for plaintiff, R. W. Montgomery for defendant. Julia Regner vs E. Nelson Emery, et al.; J. B. Keefer vs Mary E. Keefer; R. G. Morrow for plaintiff, Bauer & Greene for defendant. James Muckle jr., et al. vs James Good; Dillard & Day for plaintiff, Gruber for defendant. W. B. Dillard et al. vs E. S. Bryant et al.; Dillard & Day for plaintiff. Modjeska Butler vs Barney Butler; George A. Hall for plaintiff. B. R. Nicholas vs W. H. Dolman; Dillard & Day for plaintiff. J. C. Eggleston vs Alice Eggleston; J. B. Welch and J. K. Fitzhugh for plaintiff, Emmons & Emmons for defendant. Elizabeth Halfpenny vs Bro. Frank Schlegel and O. P. M. Jamieson for plaintiff. W. P. Dobson vs Alice M. Dobson; L. T. Barin and W. M. L. Force for plaintiff, John F. Logan and Chas. H. Hall for defendant. Robert M. Tamock vs A. Romena Tamock; George R. Bagley for plaintiff, C. F. Fiegel for defendant. J. Callahan vs M. Bassendorf et al.; Dillard & Day for plaintiff, W. T. Hume for defendant. John Maynard vs B. Birkenfeld et al.; Gruber for plaintiff, Dillard & Day for defendant. Ferdinand D. Prahf vs Emma Prahf; W. C. Fischer for plaintiff, W. H. Conyers for defendant. Jennie Baatfield vs John B. Erickson; Gruber for plaintiff, Dillard & Day for defendant. Michael Pieter vs Edward D. Potter, et al.; Dillard & Day for plaintiff. Ellen Ellis et al. vs Bert H. West, et al.; J. C. Moreland for plaintiff, A. C. Emmons for defendant. Mary E. Heinrich vs Philip Heinrich; Dillard & Day for plaintiff, Oscar Hayer for defendant. Thomas W. Nordby vs John Parker et al.; Shepherd & Cellars for plaintiff, Graham & Cleaton for defendant. C. C. Wilson vs J. M. Stehman; Coover & Stapleton for plaintiff, Caples & Allen for defendant. Ida Brennan vs James Brennan; J. M. Peebles for plaintiff. Cynthia A. Adams vs Columbia county; Dillard & Day for plaintiff. S. J. Kafuria vs Lettie B. Kafuria; A. C. Emmons for plaintiff. R. M. Wilbur vs Maria Larkins, et al.; R. G. Morrow and Watson & Beekman for plaintiff, N. McCoy for defendants. Columbia Timber Company vs Samuel A. Fowler; Cotton, Teal & Minor for plaintiff. W. J. Turner vs H. Reimer; Gruber for plaintiff, R. W. Montague for defendant. Thomas Hughes vs Belle Hughes; Fischer and Peebles for plaintiff. Wm. Holl vs G. L. Louisignont et al.; Frank Schlegel for plaintiff, Powell for defendant. M. E. Tackaberry vs Thomas Tackaberry; Claude Strahan for plaintiff. B. D. Sigler as trustee W. W. Vincent, bankrupt, vs George Rocky and George Chambers; Dell Stuart for plaintiff. George F. Livesey vs James Muckle et al.; Chas. J. Schnabel and Cotton, Teal & Minor for plaintiff. The supreme court has decided that the special act providing for the removal of the county seat of Union county is void—it would incur a county indebtedness beyond the constitutional limit.

VERNONIA

Again the boys are happy that it is raining, for they know that rain brings salmon and trout.

That's right, Mr. Editor: keep the lad rolling until we have a comparatively level road to tide water; then St. Helens will get the Nehalem trade which goes to Forest Grove, and this means a great deal. We are pleased to know that there are some of the St. Helens citizens, who are willing to help we Nehalemites secure a means of communication with the outside world other than the daily mail, and when the telephone line is completed to Pittsburg, we hope the citizens of Vernonia will bestir themselves, and have the line extended to this place, and thence to Banks. Cheney West, of Banks, Washington county, has sold his property to John Prickett for \$3000. The farm consisted of 140 acres. Mr. West has moved his family and household goods to Vernonia, and will make his home with us. Welcome, Mr. West. J. S. Mow and family came in Saturday from Farmington, and will reside on the Judson Wood property above town. J. P. Sheeley has completed a half mile of good substantial gravel road in the district. The cost, he estimates, will exceed one dollar per rad all the way through. Mr. Bruin is trying some of his antics in these parts in the way of teaching the farmers how he can climb their fruit trees, and gathering the roes, red apple and the juicy pears, and also a quick way of pruning the trees. But, alas! a few are coming to grief. One large black fellow being caught by John Adams in a trap, while several others were shot at. Kurley is not at fault, O. K.; it is Uncle Sam's boys. However, we like all Nehalemites have to have something to eat during winter—so we have to haul out to Forest Grove, not to St. Helens nor Clatskanie, after our chewing. A Shanahan has moved his family and household goods to the city of Forest Grove, where he expects to make his future home. A Johnson is busily engaged these days building a new addition to his already commodious house. What is the matter with the G. A. R. Post at this place, that they have failed to meet to transact business for the past two months. Alas! we fear the old Vets are losing interest. Carrol Keasey, of Pittsburg, has purchased a fine mare and colt of A. Shanahan, which to strengthen his team for future use. The latter gentleman has two fine two and a-half year colts, which he wishes to dispose of at a reasonable figure. KURLEY. VERNONIA. Butter King Dow went to Houlton. Threshing is over. The Ricess and Rosess have returned from the hop yards. A. Robinson has returned to St. Helens. Dan Keasey, Vernonia's p. m., made a trip to Houlton. Mr. Troop went to Portland after a load of goods. Albert Woods has returned home from working on the railroad. Mr. Whitlock is putting up a residence at Pittsburg. George Rice is hauling lumber. We understand that one of Vernonia's early pioneer daughters was married Sept. 23rd, at Newport, Miss Pearl Tucker and A. R. Hathaway. They will reside in the mail carrier states that Duponts have the telephone poles mostly set to Valley postoffice. What is the matter with Vernonia? O. K. PITTSBURG Roadmaster W. E. Stevens was inspecting bad roads and bridges in this vicinity last week. L. L. Dedrick returned home Thursday, from a business trip to Portland, Clatskanie and other points. Mrs. W. D. Case is visiting friends and relatives at Seattle. Miss Lettie Hall has been engaged to teach the school at this place for the winter term. O. A. Powell was doing business at Clatskanie, Saturday. Newt. Parker and Harley Redmond, continue to haul lumber out to Clatskanie in spite of bad weather. O. H. Wilson and G. D. Powell drove a bunch of fat cattle to Portland markets, last week. Charles Bergensen was doing business at this place Monday. Jem. Emmons took his brother Lon, to Clatskanie, Friday. The proposed telephone line between Valley and here seems to be lying dormant for the want of agitation. He Learned a Great Truth. It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough." It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip; that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by the St. Helens Pharmacy.

Nothing has ever equalled it. Nothing can ever surpass it. Dr. King's New Discovery For Consumption Price 50c & \$1.00 A Perfect For All Throat and Cure; Lung Troubles. Money back if it fails. Trial Bottles free.

CLATSKANIE

H. H. Tinker, of Long Beach, Wash., was doing business in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Mary E. Cooleage who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conyers, the past week returned to her home in Oakland, Cal. Thursday. Allen Hall, of Brookville, Pa., is visiting with his parents in this city. Roy. J. K. Hawkins and wife, left Monday to attend the M. E. Conference at Salem this week. L. A. Malcola is rushing shingles in to this market with all possible speed this fine weather. It is said that John Jones, of Mist, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. W. H. Fouts in Salem. We noticed the genial countenance of John H. Cameron, of Fishhawk, in the city Wednesday. Mr. Cameron brought in two wagon loads of fish boats, where he found ready sale in this city for them. Mrs. S. A. M. Blackford returned home from Portland, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. A. P. Burns. Frank and Will Van, of the Nehalem, were doing business in the city Thursday. Mrs. M. H. Frierson and daughter Tillie, of Oakland, Cal., who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Conyers the past several weeks returned to their home, Saturday. W. H. Conyers went to St. Helens Monday, to attend probate court which is now in session. N. Merrill and W. K. Tichenor made a business trip to Portland, Monday. Where? Oh where! is the push club that change in the Nehalem road has not yet been made. The road out to the station is nearly impassable, and the lumber for the sidewalk out to the station is rotting by the road side, while other roads leading into the city are sadly in need of repair. Broke Into His House. S. Le Quinn of Castendish, Vr., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure, at St. Helens Pharmacy. Real Estate Transfers. Ralph W. Blakeley to Wm. M. McPherson jr. and Martin J. McPherson; ne 1/4 of sec 18, 4, 5, 11889. Lettie J. and Ada Lucretia Green to Ralph W. Blakeley; ne 1/4 of sec 18, 4, 5, 11500. Fred D. and Cornelia Grandall to Hattie Taylor; lots 1 and 2, sec 24, 8, 4, 21, 97 a 12500. Lewis R. and Lottie Fitzgerald to Wm. M. jr. and Martin J. McPherson; ne 1/4 of sec 18, 4, 5, 11889. Della D. and George A. Hall to J. J. Churchley; quit claim to 1/4 ne 1/4 of sec 6, 4, 1, 130. Thus M. and Mary Jenkins to the Benson Logging and Lumbering Company; ne 1/4 of sec 22, 6, 3, 16000. James J. Charles and Jennie Muckle to Jesse J. Churchley; 11.40 a in sec 6 and 7, 4, 1, 1100. R. H. Thompson by sheriff, to E. M. Wharton; tax deed to lot 10, block 2, Columbia City; 18. Eugene D. White by sheriff, to E. M. Wharton; tax deed to lot 20, block 2, Columbia City, 10. Prizes to Public School Pupils. The following prizes for compositions are offered to the pupils of Columbia county schools. First prize \$2 each; second, \$1; third, 50 cents. In addition, one year subscription to the Oregon Satchel will be given to each winner of a prize and the best five compositions will be published in the Oregon Satchel. The topics are: "Reasons for Prohibition of the Liquor Traffic." The subject should be handled as a Temperance, and not as a party matter. The compositions will be judged by language used, punctuation, spelling and also for the arguments advanced. All compositions should be in County School Superintendent, L. H. Copeland's hands by December 1st, that prizes may be awarded by the New Year. All teachers and pupils should strive to make the contest as good as possible. A Love Letter. Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed safe for socks, Buns or Pies. Otto's Baid, of Ponder, Mo. writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth. 25c at St. Helens Pharmacy." EVERYTHING NEAT AND CLEAN AT THE Palace Hotel and Restaurant. RAIN? OREGON Best Meals at Hour during the day and at Nearest Rooms. Mrs. M. Morel, Paul Morel and Julian Wasson were Portland visitors Monday. Frank Culver, Mrs. Belle Horn and Frank Boney and wife of Minneapolis, Minn. are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Antoine Wise. Goble grange will have work in the degrees next Friday evening. W. M. Link, M. Link, J. C. Monroe, M. Horen, H. M. Fowler, Jas. Kennedy, jr. and T. C. Watts visited Rainier Lodge, No. 24 A. F. & A. M. last Saturday evening.

The Pittsburg Writing Machine Company 208 Wood Street, Pittsburg, Pa.

Logs and Timber Products.

In the lower Columbia river district there are 30 logging railroads which average at least four miles in length.

Those logging roads with their equipment cost fully \$5,000 per mile, so there is over 200,000 invested in such logging equipment alone to get the logs in the Columbia river in this logging district.—Astoria Budget. The firm of Daniels & Hanna, who were building a new sawmill on North Scappoose, has been dissolved by mutual consent. J. E. Hanna continuing the business, and E. M. Daniels retiring. The mill, which will have a capacity of 30,000 feet daily, is being pushed to completion, and will soon be ready for operation. I. G. Wikstrom again has Kalama sawmill under operation, and will soon ship a schooner load of lumber. A large quantity of logs floated out of Lewis river during the freshet the first of the week. Many of them caught on the jetty, and others lodged on the Washington side of the river. Two boats have been out gathering to the stranded logs. While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, S. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by the St. Helens Pharmacy. CASTORIA For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of Call for Sealed Bids for Construction of County Road. SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the County Clerk of Columbia County, Oregon, at St. Helens, up to noon, Saturday, October 17th, 1903, for the construction of a piece of road from the East end of the bridge across the Nehalem river at Pittsburg to a point about 1000 feet down said river, according to the plans and specifications on file at the office of the County Clerk, adopted by the County Court. Each bid must be accompanied by a bond, signed by two or more freeholders as sureties, in double the amount of the bid, made payable to the county for the faithful performance of the contract. The County Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids, if they deem them too high. Records of the County Clerk. H. HENDERSON, County Clerk. ELY'S CREAM BALM The Most Satisfactory Remedy and Cure. It is for sale by all local druggists. Regular Size, 50c per bottle. Family Size, \$1.00. Liquid Cream Balm for use in stonizers, 75 cents. Will be mailed at the above prices by ELY BROS., 56 Warren St., New York City, N. Y. REPAN'S Tablets Doctors find a good prescription for mankind. A 5-cent packet is enough for a child's ailment. One or family bottle (60 cents) contains a year's supply. All druggists sell them. OUR GOOD SOLE MEETS ANOTHER AT THE KNIGHT SHOE CO. PORTLAND, ORE. Opposite Perkins Hotel. Corner Fifth and Wash. SOROSIS SHOES Nothing can excel the attractiveness of this shoe. Its wearing qualities are superb. THE NEW YORK STORE Has just received a large invoice of Winter Goods, Shoes, Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots, Shoes, Etc. H. MORGUS, Cooper Building, Main Street, St. Helens, Oregon. The Mist and The Oregonian, \$2 9 TO 12 Office Hours. Theodor Thomson, Dentist, Information and Appointments by Mail. Rooms 50 and 51, Washington Bld., Southeast corner Wash. and 4th Sts. PORTLAND, OREGON. Take Elevator to Fifth Floor.

Houlton School Report.

The first month of the Houlton school closed October 2nd. No. days taught 10. No. days attendance 923 1/2. No. boys absent 13. No. times tardy 9. No. girls enrolled 23. No. girls absent 30. Total enrolled 63. Pupils neither absent nor tardy: Advanced room, Dora Crouse, Manly Copeland, Earl Perry, Carl Fuller, Cora Usher, Wilbur Fisher, Frank Popejoy, Eona Perry, Charly Urie, Elda Thompson, Ethel Matthews, Manie Thompson, Ida Popejoy, Hattie Wikstrom, Ruth Selzer, Eleanor Smith, Jennie Spencer, Sarah Kelley, Harvey Popejoy, Clyde Perry, Olive Usher. RUBY A. JACKSON, Principal. Primary Department, those neither absent nor tardy for the month are, Etta Popejoy, Nellie Shaw, Eva Vanblaricom, Nellie Dunn, Mable Thompson, Edith Clark, Nettie Vanblaricom, Beth Perry, Nellie Cooper, Hazel Wikstrom, Roy Perry, Guy Bond, Dale Perry, Jack Urie, Allen Spence, Reuben Roberts, Alex. Spence. MARY GRET BIRDACT, Teacher. Ran a Ten Penny Nail Through His Hand. While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, S. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale by the St. Helens Pharmacy. BIRTHS. In St. Helens, Saturday, October 2d, to Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Richardson, a son. At Yankton, Saturday, October 2d, to Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Howard, a son. PROFESSIONAL. J. W. DAY, DILLARD & DAY, ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW. Office over the Postoffice, ST. HELENS, OREGON. Will practice in any court, State or Federal. General practice in courts of Oregon and Washington. Assisted made freely from every county. OFFICE NEWPORT BLOCK. SUITE 100. W. C. Fischer, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, RAINIER, OREGON. GEORGE A. HALL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, ST. HELENS, OREGON. Classified Advertisements. FOR SALE—TWO COWS FRESH IN November and December; one has yearling bull. G. D. GILSON. WANTED—SEVERAL PERSONS of character and good reputation in each state (one in this county required) to represent and advertise old established wealthy business houses of solid financial standing. Salary \$12.00 weekly with expense additional. All parties in cash direct each Wednesday from head office. Horse and carriage furnished when necessary. References. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Columbia Co., 332 Dearborn St., Chicago. WANTED—SEVERAL INDUSTRIAL persons in each state to travel for our established eleven years and with a large capital, to call upon merchants and agents for successful and profitable lines. Permanent engagement. Weekly cash salary of \$18 and all traveling expenses and hotel bills advanced each week. Experience not essential. Mention reference and enclose self-addressed envelope. THE NATIONAL, 224 Dearborn St., Chicago. WANTED—FAITHFUL PERSONS to travel and supervise lines of salm and make collections for manufacturers. Lower. Straight salary \$20.00 a week and expenses. Salary paid weekly and expense money advanced. Previous experience unnecessary. Position permanent. Enclose self-addressed envelope. Superintendent, 224 Dearborn Street, Chicago. COUNTY OFFICERS. Representative—Martin J. McPherson; Joseph B. Doss, assessor; Sheriff—R. S. Harris; St. Helens Treasurer—E. E. Ross; St. Helens Supt. of Schools—J. H. Copeland; Houlton Assessor—A. T. Lewis; Clatskanie Assessor—W. E. White; Register—Clerk—H. Henderson; Sheriff—Commissioner—B. L. Colvin; Marshal—C. W. D. Case; Printer—Comptroller—D. H. A. C. H. B. B. B.

School Report.

Following is the report for school district No. 24 for the month ending October 2nd, 1903. No. days taught 20; No. days absence 216 1/2; No. days absence tardy 4; No. in attendance 12. Those not absent during the month are: John Alvon and Samuel Ray, Victoria; Grace Powell and A. Elliott. CHARLES HALL, Teacher. Dissolution Notice. The firm of Daniels & Hanna is this day by mutual consent dissolved, J. E. Hanna retaining the business and paying all debts owing by the said firm, and collecting all amounts due the said firm of Daniels & Hanna. Signed at Scappoose, Ore., this 22nd day of September, 1903. J. E. HANNA, F. M. DANIELS.