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COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

ARE OUR COUNTY OFFICERS THIEVES?

We trust every man in Columbia County will read the following from the Columbia Register:

County Commissioner Libel is repairing the leak in the engine for the rock crusher. It appears as though the boiler was left as fall with water in it and when the cold snap came last winter the crown sheet was forced loose to the extent that it leaked. It is possible that the old junk can be patched up for another campaign, but it never was intended to do duty as a motive power for an engine on the road or to drive the crusher. The sooner the county quits playing with the road question and gets down to business, the better off it will be. The rock crusher and engine laid down here in Houlton cost this county in gold coin \$3000. It is safe to say that a private individual could now, or could at the time the investment was made, have duplicated the crusher and engine for \$1750. What became of the other \$1300? The Register may have more to say on this interesting story as soon as facts can be ascertained.

Here is a direct charge that in a transaction of \$3000 the sum of \$1300 was granted or stolen by county officials. The board at that time was composed of Commissioners Colvin and Case and Judge Doan. Mr. Colvin is still a member of the board, and Messrs. Case and Doan are residents of this county. The amount charged is so large in proportion to the total purchase price that ignorance of the value of machinery can not be urged as an excuse. Mr. Colvin, in particular, is a successful business man who is well informed as to the value of machinery. If this county paid \$1200 more for the rock crusher and engine than they were worth, it was his duty to know it and stop the deal. This charge of Mr. Mitchell's should have some definite result. We trust he will keep his word and probe the matter to the bottom. Of course he must know what he is talking about; for a sly man would be so infamous as to make such a statement through malice or partisanship. Generally his charges are so vague that no attention is paid to them, as they are believed to be merely the wild ravings of an agitator, their only purpose being to stir up strife. Like the froth that exudes from the mouth of a mad dog, they are poisonous, but the only way to prevent the frothing is to kill the dog—he can not be cured. But here is something direct and tangible, and either the parties accused or the one making the accusation should be punished according to law. It is a matter for the attention of the grand jury, and those who are charged with malfeasance in office should demand that it be investigated by that body. If this county has been governed by thieves the people have a right to know it. If, on the other hand, honest men have been slandered, that also should be known.

GREASING THE FAT HOG.

The provision of law that gives a three per cent rebate to those who are so fortunate as to have the cash to pay their taxes prior to the fifteenth day of March should have been repealed at the recent session of the Legislature. It is a law in the interest of the rich and enables them to shift three per cent of their tax burden onto the shoulders of those of very humble means, who do not have the cash to pay at the appointed time. A certain sum of money must be raised by taxation and in making up the estimates for the year allowance is made for this three per cent and the tax levy proportionately increased. In some instances, of course, men of small means get the benefit of the discount, but to the small tax payer, as an individual, the benefit is very slight. The heavy tax payers, and especially the corporations, are the main beneficiaries. The object of legislation along this line, if we are to deviate from even-handed justice and confer favors on any class, should be to aid those who need assistance, but this provision seems to have been formed with the opposite purpose of taking from the poor and giving to the rich, and does not even possess the merit of benefiting the county. It is said that in Multnomah County the rebate amounts to over \$50,000, every cent of which is a direct burden on those who pay after the fifteenth of March. It would seem that the legislature construed literally the scriptural text, "Unto him that hath shall be given."

THE REASON FOR HIGH TAXES.

"Why are my taxes this year higher than they were last year?" is the question asked by very many callers at the sheriff's office this week. In the first place there are \$2500 more to be raised this year from the levy of 1904 than there was last year from the levy of 1903. This for the court house fund. Then there is no exemption of personal property this year and very many are paying on sums ranging from a very small amount to \$300 that they did not pay on last year. So far as county and state taxes are concerned this appears to be the explanation. Special taxes in the different road and school districts in some instances swell the local taxpayer's burden, and the law, by removing the exemption of personal property, has increased the burdens of residents, and to that extent lessened the burdens of non-residents.

WE ARE UNKNOWN.

This office is in receipt of a pamphlet published by the O. R. & N and Southern Pacific Railroad companies, entitled "What Farmers Have Done in Oregon, Washington and Idaho, as Told by Themselves." It contains 151 letters from farmers located along their lines, and tells of the actual experience of each farmer since coming to the Pacific Coast. It is about the best advertisement of the country we have seen. Yet there is in it no mention whatever of Columbia county.

We have seventy miles of water front. Billions of feet of the best timber in the world.

Coal, iron, marl, and probably gold and copper.

We can raise anything that can be raised in any Willamette valley county, and we can beat them all in the quality of our fruits, vegetables and grasses.

In dairy products we can beat the world for quality, and have the three best dairy herds in the Northwest.

Men who come here with health, industry and integrity as their capital always succeed, and we can quote dozens of instances as creditable to the individual and the State as any contained in this excellent pamphlet.

Yet Columbia County is practically an unknown land, except to those shrewd persons who have purchased every foot of timber land they could secure, until there is practically no Government land left in the county.

TO HONOR SACAJAWEA.

Order of Red Men Unite to Give Recognition to the Indian Heroine.

July 6th has been selected as Sacajawea and Order of Red Men day at the Exposition. On this date the bronze statue of Sacajawea will be unveiled with formal ceremonies. The Sacajawea Statue Association will share the honors of the day with the Order of Red Men in giving due recognition to the neglected Indian heroine. The exercises will be attended by many noted women, who will come to attend the National Woman's Suffrage Convention and the National Association of Charities and Corrections, which will be held at that time. In order to participate in the ceremonies, the Order of Red Men changed their day at the fair from July 23.

A feature of the exercises will be the presence of several thousand school children, each wearing a button on which is the likeness of Sacajawea.

For the purpose of honoring a neglected heroine the Sacajawea Statue Association, composed of prominent Oregon women, was formed some time ago with Mrs. Eva Emery Dye as President. The association has raised the money for the erection of the statue and chosen the design. The statue was executed by Miss Alice Cooper, of Denver, and presents a young Indian woman with a papoose strapped to her back. The girl is pointing toward the distant sea, her face radiant, head thrown back and eyes full of daring. A short riding skirt, made of deer skins, and leggings, shows a figure full of the buoyancy and animation of youth. The statue is composed of Oregon copper and cost \$7,000.

The entire sum necessary for the installation of this memorial has not yet been raised, but contributions are being solicited from women all over the country, and it is expected that the total amount will be subscribed to pay off all indebtedness by the time the statue is unveiled. Western women have been enthusiastic in lending their support to this commendable movement.

The statue, which is the first ever erected in honor of an Indian woman, will occupy a conspicuous position in the center of Columbia Court, the central plaza of the Exposition, facing Lakeview Terrace, where are statues of Lewis and Clark.

Sacajawea was an Indian girl, a member of the Shoshone tribe, who joined the Lewis and Clark expedition while the party were in midwinter quarters among the Mandan Indians, in what is now North Dakota. Sacajawea was at that time the mother of a young babe. She was the only woman in the expedition, and shared with the men the hardships of the toilsome journey across the continent. She was the friend of Captains Clark and Lewis, and generally rode with them in advance of the party, where her presence served to allay the suspicion of the tribes through whose country they passed. On two occasions she saved the lives of the party, pointing the road when every one else was lost and starvation was staring the little band in the face.

Sacajawea accompanied the party through its entire journeyings. Her husband, Charbonneau, was taken along to act as guide and interpreter. When the expedition on the return trip, reached the country of the Mandans, Charbonneau decided to stay there, and his ever faithful wife stayed with him. It is presumed that she died shortly afterwards.

It may be safely said that if it had not been for this Indian girl, Lewis and Clark would never have reached the Pacific. The women of this country deserve great credit for making it possible for this heroine to share the honors of explorers at the Exposition commemorating the expedition of a century ago.

Startling Mortality

Statistics show startling mortality from appendicitis and peritonitis. To prevent and cure these awful diseases, there is just one remedy, Dr. King's New Life Pills. M. Flannery, of 14 Custom House Place, Chicago, says, "There have no equal for constipation and biliousness." 25c at St. Helens Pharmacy.

HOULTON

I. H. Copeland and Mrs. Winnie Bailey paid Goble Grange a friendly visit on Saturday last.

The Women of Woodcraft gave a sociable Tuesday evening which was well attended and an enjoyable time had by all present.

Albert Henshaw left here Friday for Seaside, where he will spend the summer months.

Wm. Belford is putting in a regular Lewis and Clark garden in a part of his extensive grounds in this city. Already invitations are out to their numerous friends to call and partake of strawberries and cream at an early date.

Mr. Crawford, the new proprietor of the Vermont House, had a very exciting runaway Friday night. He had just driven up to the hotel when his load, which was topheavy, overturned the wagon, scaring the team, which started at a lively rate to view the other part of the town.

Mr. P. G. Baker, of Portland, is spending the week with friends here.

D. M. Henshaw visited the metropolis Monday last.

Friday evening last being regular social night the Artisans of this place spent several hours in playing Five Hundred and various other games. About eleven o'clock a lunch was served, after which the party broke up with the grand march.

We are sorry to learn that Uncle Jim Meeker is very low.

RAINIER

Born—On March 10, to the wife of Fritz Bitte, a fine eleven pound boy; and also to the wife of Mr. Pierce, an eight pound girl. Rainier is strictly against race suicide.

C. Williams traded his farm for the Mosher place.

Captain Newsome's second eldest son, David, paid his father a surprise visit Saturday night, remaining over Sunday. David is working for Jacobson & Bade, one of Portland's leading plumbing shops.

Dr. A. P. McLaren received a box of vegetables from California. It came through the hands of Harry Blanchard, purser on the Hassalo. Doc is puzzled. He does not know whether they are from California or if it is a put up job. They are very fresh.

The Rainier Vandeville Co. has its photographs distributed among the Rainier stores. Mr. Simpson, of Clatskanie, took the pictures. They are very good products of amateur work and serve to advertise the company a great deal. The girls took very "cute" poses in the band boy's coats and caps. The Vandeville Company gives its first performance Saturday evening at the K. of P. Hall. We look forward to something good.

Miss A. Seydell and Miss Edna Snyder, of Mayger, are in town. They both intend to work for Mrs. Syverson, proprietress of the Palace Hotel and Restaurant.

Mr. Mitchell, of the Columbia Register, was in Rainier last week.

Posters have just been distributed for the vaudeville show, to take place Saturday. The Rainier song-birds who will take part are Bob Yount, Mrs. E. A. James (nee Rose Sexton), G. B. Johnson and Gertrude Deitz. The band boys who will strive to lighten the heart of Rainier are Professor W. J. Wall, Frank Sappington, D. L. Avery and Bob Yount. And think of it! Those who attend the show will not only enjoy the finest show ever given here, but a dance after the show, with music furnished by the celebrated Rainier brass band orchestra.

Rainier wishes to thank Dr. D. B. Stuart, who has started both the band and the vaudeville company, and who, in fact, keeps the town going, with the help of all the other boys.

A SCORE OF USED ONES.

All Kinds of Makes at Virtually Your Own Price This Week at Ellers.

A walnut Smith & Barnes upright in good order, \$135; a rosewood cased Conrad upright, \$85; a very fancy cased walnut cased Royal, \$155; one of the largest mahogany cased Leicht uprights, \$198; a little Hinze upright in oak, \$188; an elegant largest sized Steck upright, \$235; a beautiful mottled walnut Pease upright, \$245; a great big fanciest carved oak case Ludwig upright, could not be told from new, \$167; a largest size mahogany Singer upright, \$135; a fancy cased Kingsbury (new), \$145; a Sherwood, largest size in mottled mahogany, \$182; a mottled walnut cased stenel piano called Wesley, \$86; a very fine toned Stuyvesant upright, \$225; a rosewood cased Swick upright, \$80; an elegant great big walnut cased Ivers & Pond upright, \$175; also a most beautiful quarter-sawed oak cased Kimball, the little colonial design, \$265; and a large fancy cased Starr piano, practically new, \$190. These are some of the extraordinary bargains offered in our used piano parlors during the coming week.

Terms cash, or one-tenth the amount amount cash and the balance at \$4. 45, or \$6 monthly.

Every one of these instruments has been put in the very best possible condition, and will be found thoroughly satisfactory in every instance to buyers. Call early if you want one—they'll not be here long at these prices. Ellers Piano House, 351 Washington street.

Syrup of White Pine and Tar, the old reliable cough remedy. For sale by A. J. Deming, druggist.

SCAPOOSE

A large acreage is being given to grain, especially oats.

The Columbia Timber Co. has started up its planing mill and a new dry kiln is being built.

Jacob Skuzza has sold his place west of here to Wm. Rickert, lately of Nebraska, the consideration being \$4200, which is a good round sum for a hill farm.

Franz Boesel has finished moving his effects to the F. M. Hoyt place, which he recently purchased.

Examination of applicants for rural carrier from Scappoose to Daxal was had Saturday morning. The applicants were Gustave Lange, O. W. Allen and R. A. McKay.

Mrs. J. E. Hanay and children have moved to Hood River for the summer where the children can attend school.

Miss M. McDonough began school in district No. 9, last Monday.

Mrs. N. J. Dupont has charge of the primary department in the Scappoose school.

The N. P. Ry. has a gravel crew in the pit hauling ballast to Goble and other points where filling is needed.

R. A. McKay has closed his meat shop for a short time, much to the regret of his trade.

Supervisor Engert will commence graveling the walks in a short time.

Henry Bushman has moved to the Jay White place for the summer.

Miss Eva McKay is very ill at the home of her sister in Portland.

John K. Watts is convalescing from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. M. Farrell has been ill in Portland for the past two weeks.

A good many inquiries are being made for farming lands, especially improved farms. Lands are held rather high here.

REUBEN

Alex Reid, wife and family left for Cameron, Wis., Monday last.

The Columbia Timber Co. sent their second raft of logs to Portland Monday.

H. C. Wyatt Co. shipped a car load of lumber East on Monday.

The attempt to float the Elder on Monday failed. The pumps worked well and were able to control the leak, but the combined strength of the Harvest Queen and Oklahoma was not enough to pull her off the rock. Another attempt will be made to float her in the full moon tides next week.

The farewell nocturnal party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Reid at the home of Mrs. M. J. Butler, at Golde, on the evening of March 11th, was a grand success. Progressive Pt. Flinch and Whist with music formed the entertainment of the evening. A dainty lunch was served at 12 o'clock. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Finley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Link, Mr. and Mrs. Hasen, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hasen, Mr. and Mrs. Parson, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald, Mr. and Mrs. Rigsley, Misses Nellie Wise, Mammie Brink, Ella Butler, Jennie Foster, Messrs F. Hunter, E. Wise and C. Butler.

Gives Health, Vigor and Tone.

Herbine is a boon to sufferers from anemia. By its use the blood is quickly regenerated and the color becomes normal. The drooping strength is revived. The languor is diminished. Health, vigor, and tone predominate. New life and happy activity results. Mrs. Belle H. Shiel, Middleborough, Ill., writes, "I have been troubled with liver complaint and poor blood, and have found nothing to benefit me like Herbine. I hope never to be without it. I have wished that I had known of it in my husband's life time." 50c.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary E. Blackford, wife of Wm. Blackford, died at her home at Mayger, Ore., at 2 p. m., March 13rd, 1905, aged 74 years, 2 months 23 days, after a lingering illness from Bright's disease. She was born in Marioshia, Illinois, Dec. 13, 1831, but moved to Iowa with her parents, H. S. and Sarah England, in the year 1831. She was married Oct. 27, 1853, to Wm. Blackford, which marriage makes a union of 51 years, 4 months and 9 days. She moved from Iowa to Oregon in 1878, and has resided in Columbia County up to the time of her death. She leaves a husband, one son, three brothers and two sisters to mourn her loss. She joined the Methodist Episcopal Church in her youthful days, and in 1856 joined the B. Church in Christ, of which church she was a constant member until death. She was a devoted Christian.

Invaluable for Rheumatism.

"I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains." March 24, '02. John C. Hegman, Kinman, Ill. 25c. 50c and \$1. Sold by A. J. Deming.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness and their sympathy during the last sickness of my wife, Mary E. Blackford.

WM. BLACKFORD

Cured Consumption.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes, "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by A. J. Deming.

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH



SCHOOL REPORT.

Following is the monthly report of District No. 2, St. Helens, for the month ending March 10, 1905.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Value. Rows include: No. days taught (19), No. days attendance (1046), No. days absence (127), No. times late (4), Aver. daily attendance (55), Aver. number belonging (62), Per cent of attendance (89).

ROLL OF HONOR.

Alice and Anna Quick, Bessie, Lloyd and Searle Hattan, Ernest Johns, Virgil Hattan, Leslie Watters, Harvey Wilkins, Frank Silvius, Frank Thorpe, Ruth Decker and Ersel Dodson.

SCHOOL REPORT.

Following is the report of District No. 23, Reuben, for last month.

Table with 2 columns: Item, Value. Rows include: No. days taught (18), No. pupils enrolled (43), No. days attendance (923), No. days absence (18), No. times tardy (1).

Those neither absent or tardy during the month were: Lula Hampton, Mary and Bertha Nussbaumer, Bennie, Johnnie and Eddie King, Wanda and Carl Wascewitz, Annie and Flora Hoersch, Harry and Gladys Jordan, Chaucey and Rex Butler, Harry Maguire, Leilia Fant, Charles Warner, Willie Snyder, Lizzie Hunter, Mammie Brink, Nellie Wise and Guy Satterlee.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, J. W. McKinnon, of Tallapoosa Springs, Ala., writes, "I had been very ill with pneumonia, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first dose gave relief, and one bottle cured me." Sure cure for sore throat, bronchitis, coughs and colds. Guaranteed at St. Helens Pharmacy, price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

The fire department at the Lewis and Clark Exposition is practicing daily, and making tests of water pressure. The department has a fully equipped station and is able to cope with any blaze.

REMOVAL SALE.

I am building a concrete store building in St. Helens and when it is completed will occupy it as a general merchandise store. I don't want to move any more goods than necessary and therefore I will sell all the goods in my present store at greatly reduced prices. This is the opportunity you have been looking for. My stock is large and you can save money by trading with me.

H. MORGUS.

DR. H. B. CLIFF.

PHYSICIAN & SURGEON

ST. HELENS, OREGON.

DR. B. EDWIN ROSS.

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W. H. POWELL.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

DEPUTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

ST. HELENS, OREGON.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

CONVEYANCING.

J. B. GODFREY.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

Real Estate and Timber Lands sold and Abstracts made.

ST. HELENS, OREGON.

W. C. FISCHER.

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

RAINIER, OREGON.

J. W. DAY.

W. E. DILLARD. DILLARD & DAY. ATTORNEYS - AT - LAW. Will practice in any Court, State or Federal. Office next door to Courthouse. ST. HELENS, OREGON.

REAL ESTATE

Transactions recorded in Columbia County since our publication of February 3d:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Value. Rows include: Alsleben, Louise estate by Adam, to Adolph Alsleben, lots 3 and 4 sec 30 and 1 sec 30 4 4700; Ainsworth, John, Harry B. and Mand and Belle, to Ainsworth Co., land in Columbia Co. Adams, Samuel and Julia, to H. Newman 2 4-100 acres sec 42 232 800; Bissinger, Isadore, to A. G. Bach, vol 5 sec 2 and n w hf sec 12 3 3 2500; Bissinger, A. G. and Mary, to W. O. Jells, s hf & n w qr sec 12 & s e qr sec 2 3 3 1; Clark, Frank L., to Mattie Kinneman, n hf of s e qr sec 7 7 4 1200; Cronk, Josephine and John R. to Sibbilla O'Brien, n w qr of n e qr, sec 5 2 800; Conrad, Peter and Ida, to Isadore Bissinger, correction, n w 4 sec 12 s 3 book V, p. 187 1; Carl, Susanna, to John St. wart, s e qr of s w qr and lot 13, sec 19, 6 3 100 00; Doan, J. B. and Jane H., to Thos. Nordby and C. C. Nelson, lease for wagon road; Sarah W. and F. W. Fisher, Martha M. and Wm. M. Farrell to John Havelock, part of Jesse Miles d 1 e 1000; Feller, R. C. to Julian and Ernest Wasser, n e qr of s e qr sec 20, 6 2 104; Ferris, H. B. and Cassie A. to James Metzger, r. 22 100 acres in Neer City 150; Faltonat, Fredk., to Louis Brock, n hf n w qr sec 32 and a hf w qr sec 29, 5 5 5 0; Faltonat, Frederick to Fritz Faltonat, s e qr of n e qr sec 20, 5 5 5 60; Grace, J. W. et al to Marshall J. Kinney, w hf sec 12 and s hf sec 10, 5 1; Gilbreath, Bertha and W. P. to Joseph Rich, s e qr of n e qr sec 29, 7 2 500; Geiber, Fred A. and Mary Frances to Scappoose Lumber Co., s 3 e sec 12, 3 2 2; Hardin, A. L., Alfred F. to Stephen Lampa, 23 acres in sec 35, 5 2 639; Hendrix, John H. to B. H. Williams, d 1 e of C. W. Hendrix, sec 1 1 2 5000; Hendrix, F. D., Alice and R. to B. B. Whitten, d 1 e of C. W. Hendrix, sec 21 2 5 4 1 5000; Hoyt, Ruth A. and Frank M. to Franz Rosel, Hoyt land, 181 acres 260 00; Heatley, Ernest L. to M. J. Kinney, w hf of sec 10, s hf sec 28, 5 1 680;

Table with 2 columns: Name, Value. Rows include: Hanson, Christ, to West Oregon Lumber Co., lumber on s e qr sec 32, 7 4 300; Hocker, Wm H. to J. A. Marlin, w qr of n w qr, sec 8, 4 5 75; Hocker, W. H. to J. A. Marlin, s w qr and lot 4, sec 5, 4 5 200; Hansen, Bertha to Jos. Rich, s e qr sec 20, 7 2 300; Honeyman, Hardware Co. to Jennie's Hines, s e qr of s w qr, sec 18, 7 3 250; Inubrie, James and Mary B. to Leonard, 300.70 acres, 3 1 3400; Inman to George, Goerig d 1 e, 318 acres to correct deed in book Q, p 205 6000; Koris, John to Arthur L., e hf of n w qr sec 31, 6 4 600; Kelley, Geo. B. and Mary A. to S. A. Gibson, lot 2, blk 1, Georgetown 25; Kennedy, John, by sheriff, to J. G. Watts, n w qr n w qr sec 33, s w qr sec 24, 2 3 56; Krueger, Edward and Elizabeth to Chas. Ufer, w hf of e hf of s e qr sec 16, 3 2 1200; Kinney, M. J. to F. W. Sherman, s hf of sec 30, 6 1 3000; Morgan, John P. to Ainsworth Co., land in Columbia Co. Morgan, George, to the Benson L. and L. Co., s w qr sec 4, 5 3; Mattson, Matt and Maria to Henry M. Olson, lot 9, sec 4, 7 5 80; Morel, H. to B. Benson L. and L. Co., n e qr sec 4, 5 3; 67 25 100; McAtee, Mary L., W. C. et al to Jno. Haylick, part of Jesse Miles d 1 e sec 30, 6 1 5000; Neer, H. H. and Maud Morris to Geo. S. Conner, Jr., s hf of n e qr sec 10, 6 2, river lot in Neer City 150; Oiler, Mrs. Lena to Joseph Rich, s e qr of n e qr sec 29, 7 2 300; Perrine, Edw. B. and Lila M. to A. B. Backroff, power of attorney; Ferrino, Edw. B. and Lila M. to W. O. Jells, n w qr of n e qr sec 2, 3 2 150; Bosters, J. M. and Alma H. to A. G. Backroff, s e qr sec 12, 3 3; Stamp to John P. Leonard, 150 a sec 10, 3 1; Starr, F. A. E. to J. B. Godfrey, s w qr sec 20, 5 1 80; Skuzza, Jacob and Frederick to August Autone, lots in St. Helens 300; Schaefer, Jacob and Amy to Isadore Bissinger-corrected; State to Patton, w hf n w qr sec 26 and e hf n e qr sec 27, 4 4 20; St. Helens Lodge I. O. O. F. to Robert Cummings, even lot 26; Suta Fe Pacific to Hugh I. Cox, n w qr of n e qr sec 8, 4 5; n e qr of n w qr of s e qr sec 4, 5 Sherman, H. A. and C. W. to Elizabeth Matchett, n w qr of n w qr sec 6, 4 1 680; Westmore, Dorothea et al to John Haylick, part of Jesse Miles d 1 e 3000

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Mist and Oregonian \$2.00

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