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CRUSH OUR OWN ROCK.

Why not start the County rock quarry? Columbia County is the possessor of a bountiful supply of good rock for road purposes. A great deal of it will be needed in this district. We are paying \$1.05 per yard to the St. Helens Quarry Company for crushed rock at the quarry. It can be crushed at a maximum cost of 30 cents per yard, and the railroad company has offered to transport it to any point in the county for one cent per ton per mile. Why not buy another rock crusher and start the quarry? Don't it look like a good proposition, and if not, why not? The estimate for crushed rock in this district alone last spring was 4,000 yards or \$4,200 worth. At 30 cents per yard it would be \$1200, making a saving in one year of \$3,000 in one district, which would very nearly install the plant. Why should this apparent waste continue?

RULE OR RUIN.

The Oregonian asserts that if the nominations suggested by the "advisory assembly" are not adopted by the voters at the primary election every effort will be made to defeat the nominees, and it threatens that if its ideas are not adopted "there will be no Republican party in Oregon." Of course the defeat of the Republican primary nominees is to be attempted by the soreheads, under the leadership of the Oregonian, combining with the Democrats, just as they did when they knifed Calkins in favor of Chamberlain. The Oregonian will stand by the nominees of the advisory assembly, but hypocritically pretends that it does not oppose the direct primary law, and that there is nothing in the assembly plan subversive of the law. We think there will be a Republican party in Oregon for some years to come, but it will not be the Oregonian's Republican party, composed of a few self-constituted bosses, who have determined that unless they can run things to suit themselves they will use the knife upon all who dare oppose them. There has, as yet, been no demonstration that the opponents of the direct primary and Statement No. 1 are in the majority in the Republican party. Statement candidates have been rather uniformly successful, and until it can be shown that the majority of Republicans favor the Oregonian's ideas there will be no good reason for obeying that paper's dictates. It may have a sufficient following of political highbinders to defeat the party nominees, but we doubt it, and even if it should be able to do so we do not believe the voters are cowardly enough to be kicked, cursed, or knifed into submission. The friends of the direct primary system and Statement No. 1 will go as far in its defense of their principles as the Oregonian will in opposition. Unless the advisory convention adopts resolutions pledging its candidates to abide by the decision of the voters at the direct primary they will have no claim whatever upon the support of the voters in the general election.

Wellington's shoe patrons do not suffer with cold feet.

CORRECTION.

The Mist was in error when it stated that Commissioner Tichenor refused to sign the order for the special election. Judge Dart held that the judge had exclusive authority in the matter and that the commissioners had no say.

ASSESSMENT FIGURES.

Showing the valuation of merchandise, logging roads, and mills and machinery in Columbia County:

Table with columns for merchant names and their respective valuations. Includes entries like Me-Vee, Columbia City; Briggs, Yankton; Bass, Quincy; Krom, Quincy; Fluhner, Mayger; Jonas John, Inglis; Graham & Geary, Marshland; Keasey C. C., Vernonia; Pringle John, Vernonia; McCauley & Libbe, Mist; Forsley & Nashiff, Mist; Link & Co., Goble; Fowler, Goble; Bishop, Goble; Wait, Reuben; English, Deer Island; Andrews, Deer Island; Johnson, Deer Island; Baseel, Houlton; White & Anderson, Houlton; Perry & Graham, Houlton; Milroy Merc. Co., Scappoose; Waits & Price, Scappoose; Flynn, Scappoose; Dugan & Simmons, Clatskanie; Myers & Co., " ; Edgerton, " ; Page, " ; McKiel, " ; Miller, " ; Conyers C. L., " ; Hall W. A., " ; Bell J. L., Rainier; McMillan, " ; Sweet L., " ; Trow Fred, " ; Young E. M., " ; Sammons G., " ; Moeck G. F., " ; Ellis M. & Co., " ; Richardson A. L., Rainier; McLaren, Rainier; Morgan H., St. Helens; Deuling J., " ; Dart & Muckle, " ; Wellington, " ; Gray, " ; Ross, Warren; Bacon, " ; Larsen, " ; Following is the valuation of the logging roads, rolling stock and machinery: Peninsula Lumber Co., \$63000; Brown & L. Co., 135000; Portland & S. W., 118000; Portland Lumber Co., 57400; C. C. Masten, 52700; Columbia Timber Co., 68000; Jennings McRae, 19500; O. K. Logging Co., 13250; Erickson & Son, 12500; G. G. Thayer, 200; Oregon Lumber Co., 1500; Rocky, 8400; Wilson-Case, 14000; Chapman Timber Co., 30550; Following is the assessed valuation of the machinery in the mills of Columbia County, and does not include stock site or buildings: Freeman, Mist, 800; Birkenfeldt, 1500; Columbia River Door Co., 22000; Western Cooperage Co., 12000; Clatskanie Mill Co., 10000; West Oregon Lumber Co., 7000; Oregon Lumber Co., 14000; Beaver Lumber Co., 20500; C. C. Wilson, 4500; R. L. Parris, 425; Wilson-Case, 11500; Patterson Lumber Co., 10000; Jellison (O & K), 5000; Rainier Mill Co., 18000; Lippy and Mossman, 1500; St. Helens Mill Co., 2000; South Fork Lumber Co., 3000; Jeff, 2500; Wikstrom, 3000; Sherman Bros., 4000; Benigous, 1900; Holstein and Stanwood, 3700; Olsen Bros., 1000; Jones, 500; Clark, 800; Antiker, 500; Badger, 2500; Lengacher, 1000; Gable Mill Co., 2000; Oliver and Jackson, 3000; Broughton & Wiggins, Goble, 4500; Broughton & Wiggins, Clats., 3000; Stehman Bros., 1500; Western Cedar Co., 4000; Howard, 6200; Hankins, 1000; Morris Bros., 1800; Summit Lumber Co., 2500; Malmsten, 1000; Ray, 500;

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COUNTY COURT.

(Continued)

Table of County Court proceedings including names of parties, case titles, and amounts. Includes entries like Edgar Muckle vs. W. C. Lee; Hans Foshaug vs. R. Young; A. G. Haggis vs. Richard Williams; Joe Haggis vs. John P. Carroll; Clarence Riley vs. Witness State vs. Blakely; Frank Snow vs. Thomas Wilson; S. H. Gordon vs. T. M. Ward; Mabel Clark vs. Leota O'Brien; Harry Wilson vs. S. A. Perry; W. W. Williams vs. M. A. Albin; W. J. Romero, witness in July; D. T. Gordon vs. F. H. Land; Interceptor circuit court; J. B. E. Bourne, police judge, State vs. Mann; James Jesse, constable, same; Stephen Phillips, witness, same; Dell Hall, witness, same; Cooper Whitney, Justice, State vs. Holl; K. H. Bushman, constable, same; J. D. McKay, witness, same; M. Grimm, Juror, State vs. Holgate; Uhas Sandstrom, same; Katie Miller, same; C. Lamberson, same; Ad Stump, same; E. H. Hay, same; Mattie White, expense sheriff; K. H. Bushman, deputy sheriff; H. M. Fowler, deputy sheriff; G. D. Sutherland, deputy sheriff; F. H. Sherwood, deputy sheriff; I. M. Day, work for sheriff; F. H. Sherwood, coroner's exam R. H. King; J. L. Woodson, coroner's exam J. Gabriel; F. H. Sherwood, coroner exam J. Gabriel; Edwin Ross, coroner exam J. Gabriel; F. H. Sherwood, coroner exam J. Gabriel; A. P. McLaren, coroner exam J. Gabriel; H. M. Fowler, coroner exam J. Gabriel; F. H. Sherwood, coroner exam H. Tawussell; Lloyd Irvine, coroner exam J. Gabriel; I. M. Day, work on ass't roll; Glass & Prudhomme, supplies and furniture; Jas Muckle & Son, sup for court house; Kilham Sta. & Prag to sup for surveyor; Irwin, Hobson Co supplies for clerk; Leopold & Voelgel, repairs to transit (surveyor); Chas Muckle, wood; Col Telephone Co, battery and base; Chatskanie Chief, supplies school; E. H. Flagg, just to court proceedings; E. H. Flagg, supplies, clerk and sheriff; E. H. Flagg, supplies for election; R. L. Stevens, board of prisoners; Jacob George, same; Jacob George, board of jurors; M. J. Blackford, draw'n jury Clatskanie precinct; F. J. Popham, same; E. D. Peterson, same; F. H. Sherwood, funeral sup J. Cooley; H. M. Fowler, burial expense J. Cooley; A. Near, cemetery lot; Muckle & Son, sup McDonald and Carlson; Jos Rich, wood for Jordau; Gust Hendrickson, care of Stumala; Sisters of Mercy, care Dale & Moresback; Good Sam Hospital, care of McMillan; St Vincent's Hospital, care of Carlson; E. F. Tacker, surgeon for Walton; H. B. Cliff, visiting county charges; K. H. Bushman, posting election notices; Glass & Prudhomme Co election sup; School Dist No 10, hall for election; Austin Dowling, hall for election; W. H. Kysar election booths; J. R. Headlee, special election board and messenger; W. L. Brown, same; T. D. Critwick, same; S. C. Counts, same; J. Hackenberg, same; T. A. Lovelace, me.; E. E. Nickerson, special election board and messenger; J. P. Stacey, same; J. Spencer, same; L. E. Stewart, same; W. Pringle, same; S. M. Bools, same; W. H. Kysar, same; Ira Patcher, same; Chester Patcher, same; Charl Norman, same; Jno McAdam, same; N. Merrill, same; E. D. Ticker, same; J. Eastman, same; A. R. Bunce, same; G. E. Houston, same; H. Kratz, same; C. L. Conyers, same; J. N. Rice, same; A. R. Miller, same; A. W. Blackford, same; Geo B Conyers, same; J. T. Kettin, same; C. A. Merrill, same; B. F. Lee, same; N. A. Andrews, same; B. J. Keenan, same; W. E. Clark, same; F. A. Adams, same; T. C. Watts, same; G. U. Foynter, same; J. T. Graham, same; J. A. Van, same; J. J. Banner, same; D. W. Freeman, same; J. H. Aldridge, same; A. R. Mells, same; F. J. Peterson, same; John Hendrickson, same; Chas Hermy, same; Fred Fisher, same; H. W. Brown, same; J. A. Krus, same; R. S. Payne, same; W. J. Deitz, same; Robert Pritchard, same; Robert Lovelace, same; H. E. Dillie, same; C. W. Grant, same; G. Chaffin, same; J. A. Schanzon, same; N. Stewart, same; A. C. Clark, same; T. J. Flippin, same; L. E. Quicker, same; S. M. Rice, same; J. G. Watts, same; Geo W Grant, same; W. E. Stevens, same; Gus Lange, same; M. J. Engler, same; J. D. McKay, same; R. Cox, same; J. L. Decker, same; T. B. Lott, same; Jno Reuben, same; J. F. Lewis, same; W. F. Manley, same; G. J. Mullinger, same; W. J. Tarbell, same; C. F. Briggs, same; W. A. McIntire, same; U. S. Dupain, same; A. B. Lake, same; S. F. Baker, same; F. M. Hoyt, same; E. O. Haas, same; Lew Davies, same; A. Freeman, same; W. J. Fullerton, same;

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed by the county court, of Columbia County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of John Murphy, deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are directed to present same, with proper vouchers thereunder, on or before the 15th day of November, 1908, to me in care of the Oregon Trust Co., at St. Helens, Oregon, within six months from date of the first publication of this notice. Claims may be also presented at my office, 301-3 Board of Trade Building, Portland, Oregon. Date of last publication 15th day of September, 1908. GEORGE J. PERKINS, Administrator.

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