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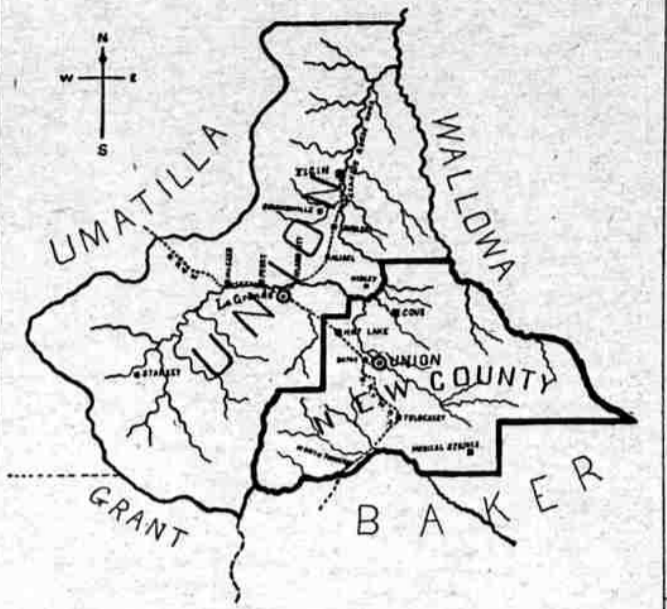
We have at our office a complete stock of assorted styles of ceiling and wall fixtures of beautiful designs and finish. Also Shades of all designs.

We cordially invite the public to inspect our stock even if you are not ready to buy. Office open from 7 a m to 8:30 p m.

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PROPOSED DIVISION OF UNION COUNTY



Map showing Union county and proposed new county (within the heavy lines) with Union as the county seat. The question of the organization of a new county out of that part of Union county directly tributary to the city of Union, is being discussed by many of our taxpayers, and the above map shows an outline of the territory it is proposed to embrace in the new county. Still another suggestion is the attachment of this portion of Union county to Baker county.

These propositions are quite likely to materialize into something tangible about the next session of the legislature. In the meantime, the taxpayer might do well to post up on the facts of the case.

This new county would include about twenty townships, less than one third the present area of the county, which contains about 70 townships. This new county would have more territory than Sherman, Columbia or Polk counties, which contain about 19 townships each; more than Yamhill, which has about 18 townships; the same as Washington, which has about twenty townships; and nearly twice that of Multnomah, which has about 11 townships. So the new county would have enough territory.

As to the vote and population, the following figures tell the story. The vote at the June election in the proposed county stood as follows: Union No. 1, 280; Union No. 2, 241; Cove 229; North Powder, 165; Antelope 23; and Big Creek, 43, a total of 981 votes. As there were cast in Union county at said election 3,738 votes, it will be seen that the new county has only a little more than one-fourth of the votes and population; yet by a comparison with the vote of last June, the new

county would have more votes than the following Oregon counties, to-wit: Curry, with 573 votes; Gilliam 863 votes; Harney, 906 votes; Lake 783; Lincoln 908, and Wheeler 820 votes. Other counties with about the same number of votes as the new county would have, are Klamath with 1,504, Molhar 1,287, Sherman with 1,022, and Tillamook with 1,102. These counties, though the population is not yet large, are prosperous and progressive, as would be the new county here.

The new county would embrace all of road districts numbered 23 to 33, both inclusive, and Union and North Powder with total assessable property valued at \$1,300,035, and parts of districts numbered 11, 12, 13, and 34, which have taxable property valued at \$601,213; so the new county would have probably no less than \$1,900,000 of taxable property at present valuations. Would this be sufficient to maintain the new county? A comparison with other Oregon counties should answer the question. The following counties have approximately the same amount of property, or less than the new county would have, the figures being taken from the 1903 rolls, to-wit: Columbia \$1,822,832; Crook \$723,428; Grant \$1,739,717; Josephine \$1,800,605; Lake \$1,740,347; Lincoln \$943,804; Wallowa \$1,761,121; Wheeler \$1,125,350, so the new county would have nothing to fear from that standpoint. With an economical administration, those best posted on the situation insist that the new county could maintain its government and wipe out its debt.

The above facts are published for the information of the general public, and will be continued from time to time. The impression prevails that the new county idea may take definite shape a little later in the season—Unica Republican.

Remember

Mrs Shooklin will serve Fluff at J D McKennon's every day this week.

Special Excursion to the World's Fair.

The Denver and Rio Grande, in connection with the Missouri Pacific, will run a series of per-annually conducted excursions to the World's Fair during June. These excursions will run through to St. Louis without change of cars, making short stops at principal points enroute. The first of these excursions will leave Portland June 7, and the second June 17. The rate from La Grande will be \$60 to St. Louis and return. Excursionists going via the Denver & Rio Grande have the privilege of returning by a different route. This is the most pleasant way, as well as the most delightful route to cross the continent. The stops arranged give an opportunity of visiting in and about Kansas City. If you wish to accompany one of these excursions write at once to W C Mc Bride, 124 Third street, Portland, for sleeping car reservations.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, August 18, 1904.
Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the County Clerk of Umatilla County, Oregon, at Pendleton, Oregon, on Sept. 20, 1904, viz: E. W. M. Stanton, of Meacham, Oregon, for the lots 3, 4, and 5, Sec 24, Tp. 18, N. 8, E. W. M. Stanton names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George L. Hilyard and John Todd, both of Meacham, Oregon, and Smith C. Stanton and James M. Hays, both of Alberta, Oregon.
E. W. M. Stanton, Register.

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When you buy a cough medicine for small children you want one in which you can place implicit confidence. You want one that not only relieves but cures. You want one that is unquestionably harmless. You want one that is pleasant to take. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy meets all of these conditions. There is nothing so good for the coughs and colds incident to childhood. For sale by All Druggists.

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No danger of freezing as it can be used in zero weather. Being flexible instead of brittle—as all sand mortars are—it will dent like wood when struck or jammed, instead of breaking Doors, windows, pipe holes, etc are easily cut through. It is a non conductor of electricity and thus prevents short circuiting. It adheres equally well to brick, stone or common lath. It contains no acids nor chemicals to corrods. It will not burn nor disintegrate by fire being a perfect protection for wood frame work. It will under no condition pit or blister. Parties having plastering to do should consult me regarding this class of work. Estimates cheerfully given.
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NO. 2 8:50 p. m. NO. 6 8:50 a. m.	Salt Lake, Denver, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 1 5:50 a. m. NO. 5 8:5 p. m.
NO. 1 5:50 a. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Phoenix, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane and via Spokane.	NO. 3 9:30 p. m.
NO. 5 8:5 p. m.	Portland, Dallas, Pendleton, Walla Walla, Lewiston, Colfax, Moscow, Wallace Warmer, Spokane and other points east and north via Spokane.	NO. 6 8:30 a. m.
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