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MALHEUR COUNTY REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS RECORDED APRIL 8 TO APRIL 15

W. L. Baber, Sr. et ux to Mrs. J. P. Smith-66 by 105 ft. in lot 2, Sec. 19-41-43. 3/12/1910. \$10.00.
Juntura Investment Co. to Henry W. Welcome et ux, Lot 16, Block 18, Juntura. 2/14/22. \$10.00.

U. S. A. to Geo. I. Fenton, Lots 7, 8, 9, 12, Sec. 7; Lots 1, 2 and 3 Sec. 18-23-39; SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 12; NE 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 18-23-38. 1/10/21.
David N. Taylor et ux to Florence E. Bixton, NW 1/4 NE 1/4 Sec. 33-36-37. 3/20/22. \$1.

Walter H. Pinkston et ux to Malheur County Road right of way. 4/8/22. \$200.00.

J. H. Cantrall to Malheur County Road right of way. 4/8/22. \$150.

Robert Wallace et ux to Malheur County Road right of way. 4/8/22. \$1.00.

Joe W. Jaca et ux to Juan Jaca, 2,657.22 acres in Township 41, Ranges 42 and 43. 3/3/1919. \$10.

O. J. Sherman et ux to T. A. Sherman, N 1/4 E 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 5-18-47. 3/21/22. \$10.00.

Sheriff H. Lee Noe to A. C. Read, 8 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 24-19-46. 7/2/21. \$152.03.

John J. Ackerman to Thillie Ackerman, W 1/4 NW 1/4, SE 1/4 SW 1/4, SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 33-15-40; Lot 3, Sec. 4-16-40. 5/12/22. \$1.00.

Trent Johnson to Nancy A. Johnson, NE 1/4 Sec. 22; N 1/2 Sec. 23-19-44. 3/13/22. \$1.00.

Frank Petrie to Myrtle L. Petrie, S 1/4 SE 1/4 NE 1/4, N 1/4 SE 1/4, and 2 acres in NE 1/4 NE 1/4 SW 1/4 Sec. 20-15-45; also all of Blocks 1, 2, Lots 1 to 7 and 15 to 21, Block 3, Lots 1 to 7 and 15 to 21 in Block 4, all Blocks 5, 6, 7, and 8, and Lots 1 to 7 in Block 9, all Block 11 Petrie's Add. to Vale. 3/9/22. \$1.

S. S. Griffin et ux to G. H. Bridwell, NE 1/4 SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 26-16-43. 2/28/1916. \$1.

Pearl Potts et ux to G. H. Bridwell, NE 1/4 SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 26-16-43. 2/28/1916. \$1.00.

E. E. Archard to Stephen A. Hawks, Lot 5, Block 22, Riverside. 1/8/21. \$1,000.00.

Malheur Land Co. to J. M. Addington et al, SW 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec. 30-15-43. 4/5/22. \$10.00.

Gerald E. Stanfield et ux to Ralph A. Holte, Undivided 1/2 Interest in SW 1/4 Sec. 5-18-47. 4/15/22. \$10. (Q. C. Deed.)

Marriage Licenses Issued
Henry F. Spieler and Irene Privett 4/12/22.

Paul E. Van Patten and Irene Rader 4/16/22.

Complaints Filed in Court
State Industrial Accident Com. vs. George Baker. 4/10/22. Recovery of money \$55.32.

State Industrial Accident Comm. vs. Maurice F. Clark. 4/10/22. Recovery of money. \$25.94.

Wilson Bros. vs. G. F. Holze, 4/13/22, recovery on account, \$25.75.

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STORY OF THE FAMOUS OLD OREGON TRAIL

A Narrative of the Wilson Price Hunt Expedition in 1811-12 and the "Great Migration" Into Oregon Country, in 1852-3

By Walter E. Meachen, Pres. of Old Oregon Trail Assoc.

(Continued from last week.)

The route now led up the Burnt river from the present site of Huntington to where Durkee now stands and on across the hills to the Powder river valley at the present site of Baker which was reached by the party on December 28. The party continued on across the valley, passing the present site of Haines and North Powder. Mount Hunt, one of the highest peaks in the Balesley-Elkhorn range was named after Mr. Hunt.

It was in the vicinity of North Powder that the wife of Pierre Dorion gave birth to her baby. The main party kept on while Dorion remained with his wife and children in their crude camp and attended her in her sickness.

On December 30, the party arrived in the Grande Ronde valley and found six lodges of Shoshones camped in the vicinity of the present town of Union. On December 31st, Dorion and his family caught up with the main party. It is fitting at this time to pay tribute to the Indian wife of Dorion, who had shared the hardships of the dreary march with as great fortitude as the men, though she was far advanced in her pregnancy. She exhibited a force of character in many of the trying situations faced by the party, worthy of one in a much higher walk of life.

The praises of Sacajawea, the Indian woman, who accompanied Lewis and Clark on their journey across the continent are heralded in song and story while the patient little Indian woman with the Hunt expedition is unnamed and unsung, while the privations she underwent were ten times greater than those of Sacajawea. The party spent New Year's day with the Indians feasting on horse and dog meat and celebrating the day in the best manner possible under the circumstances.

The following day the party struck out across the Blue Mountains passing near the present location of LaGrande. The journey across the mountains was very difficult and tedious, the snow being waist deep and the weather very cold.

The child of Pierre Dorion died on the trip across the mountain. On January 8, the camp of Scatogas on the Eu-O-tal-la of Umatilla was reached, which was near the present site of Pendleton.

These Indians had brass kettles, axes, tea kettles and other implements showing that they had communications with white traders.

Their horses and dogs were bought for food. A blanket, a knife or a half pound of blue beads bought a horse. These Indians did not eat horse flesh, but feasted on elk and deer meat, but they asked such a high price for it that the white men were forced to content themselves with a bit of horse and dog meat.

The Umatilla abounded with beaver and the Indians were induced to trap this animal, as its skin could be easily sold to the white traders. The party pressed on and reached the Columbia on January 21, at a point between the mouth of the Umatilla and the mouth of the Wallah-Wallah rivers.

Here fish and dogs were secured from the Indians found there. Stray bits of information from the Indians gave the party hopes that McKenzie and McLennan and party had passed down the river some time before. Proceeding down the river, the party arrived at the Indian village of Wishram on January 31st.

Wishram was located near what is now the town of Spedis, Washington, a few miles up the river from The Dalles.

This village must have been near what we now call Celilo Falls as it is spoken of as the fishing mart of the Indians and where the salmon were speared as they tried to leap the rapids.

This tribe was called the Tlak-luit and are described as being very sly and thievish.

Continuing on down the river Mr. Hunt and his party reached what is now called Cascade Locks where a thieving band of Indians were encountered and the utmost vigilance was needed to protect the property of the party. After considerable dickering, Mr. Hunt procured the necessary number of boats with which to make the trip down the river to Astoria.

The trip from here down the river was uneventful and finally on the 15th day of February, 1813, swept down the stream and came in sight of Astoria.

The feelings of the party can be imagined when we stop to consider that it had been over a year on the way from St. Louis, most of the time in a trackless wilderness and among savage tribes.

Among the first to greet them was Reed, McLennan and McKenzie from whom they had been separated at the Caldron Linn, near what is now Twin Falls. These men had started out from the Caldron Linn to find a route and had come together at what they called the Devil's Scuttle Hole and is near what we call the Seven Devils country. They followed the Snake on down to the Columbia and thence down to Astoria where they arrived a month ahead of Mr. Hunt. The distance travelled by the Hunt party was about 3500 miles, though the actual distance from St. Louis to Astoria is only 1800 miles.

The following day was given over to rejoicing over the safe arrival of the party. The colors were hoisted, guns were fired and there was a feast of beaver, fish and venison which was a welcome diversion from horse and dog flesh which the party had subsisted on for so long. The festivities ended up with a grand dance at night, led by the Canadian voyageurs.

On March 22, 1812, John Reed, Ben Jones, McLennan, and two Canadians started back to St. Louis with dispatches for Mr. Astor telling of the business at Astoria and the safe arrival of Mr. Hunt and most of his party. Mr. Reed had the dispatches in a tin box which he strapped securely on his back.

They were reinforced by a party of twelve men carrying supplies to the post on the Okinagan.

At Wishram, they had to portage their supplies around the rapids and were set upon by the Indians and Mr. Reed badly wounded and his tin box of dispatches stolen, the Indians thinking that it contained "Big Medicine." One Indian was killed and one wounded. The Indians demanded that Mr. Reed be given up as a sacrifice to the dead warrior, but the demand was refused and the matter settled by the white men giving the Indians material to cover the dead warrior and tobacco for the living.

The object of Reed's journey now being defeated by the loss of the tin box, the whole party repaired with Robert Stuart to the establishment on the Okinagan. After a few days there, they started back for Astoria, and in the course of their journey came upon Mr. Crooks and John Day, both naked and almost famished.

They reported that they had been stripped of their clothing by the inhabitants of Wishram and were on their way to the Wallah Wallah's. The whole party now continued down the river and reached Astoria on May 11th. A second land expedition to convey dispatches to Mr. Astor was sent out June 29th under command of Robert Stuart. A party of sixty journeyed together as far as the Wallah Wallah village for mutual protection from the thieving band at Wishram.

At the village of the Wallah Wallahs, Mr. Stuart secured horses for his little band which was to bear the dispatches to St. Louis. With him were Ben Jones, Andri Vallar, Francis Clerc, McLennan and Crooks.

On August 12th the Snake river was reached and on August 20th the party encountered Hoback, Miller, Resner and Robinson, who had left the Hunt party at the Hepp post to trap and hunt. They reported that they had been robbed of their furs and clothing by a band of Arapahays and had barely escaped with their lives and had wandered among the hills barely existing on fish and berries.

The augmented party now continued on their way up the river and finally reached the Caldron Linn where they found that six of the caches made by Mr. Hunt had been found and ransacked by the Indians. Before reaching the Caldron Linn, however, they came upon some Shoshones busily engaged in spearing salmon at a place which they named Salmon Falls.

(Continued next week)

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IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOHN A. MORTON, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by Rosa B. Morton, Administratrix of the estate of John A. Morton, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said estate, to present such claims with the necessary vouchers according to law, within six months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Rosa B. Morton at Ontario, Oregon, or to the law office of Brooke & Gallagher at Ontario, Oregon.

The first notice hereof is published this twenty-third day of March, 1922.

ROSA B. MORTON,

Administratrix of the Estate of John A. Morton, deceased.

Last publication April 30, 1922.

CONDENSED REPORT OF

ONTARIO NATIONAL BANK

AS REPORTED TO THE COMPTROLLER, MARCH 10, 1922

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts.....\$552,659.27	Capital Stock.....\$ 60,000.00
Overdrafts.....297.55	Surplus.....31,513.77
Bonds and Securities.....27,799.83	Bills Payable.....42,000.00
U. S. Bonds.....84,700.00	Federal Reserve Bank.....165,635.15
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank.....3,000.00	Circulation.....60,000.00
Realty and Fixtures.....44,934.15	DEPOSITS.....404,745.95
CASH.....55,494.07	
\$766,844.87	\$766,844.87

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