

Short Sidehead Stories...

TERSELY-TOLD TALES OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

Corporations Don't Escape in Clackamas—In addition to the increase in corporate property assessments heretofore noted in the Enterprise, the assessment of the Oregon Iron & Steel company's property in this county has been raised by Assessor Nelson from \$135,000 to \$200,000. The Portland Flouring Mills is assessed at \$50,000, the Weyerhaeuser Timber company \$105,180, S. P. contract lands \$179,000, telephone and telegraph companies \$35,000. In all the corporations will pay more than one-fourth of the total amount of taxes that will be raised for county purposes on the 1906 tax roll. Figuring on a basis of a 17-mill levy for county purposes, corporations will pay a grand total of \$46,206 in taxes to the county alone and in addition, will be liable for the usual road and school taxes.

Inquires for James E. English—W. H. English, of Kansas City, Mo., writes to Chief of Police Burns inquiring for his brother, James E. English, who with his wife and son were living at Oregon City a year ago. At that time the author of the letter says he received a letter from his brother, postmarked at Oregon City, in which the writer intimated that he might go from this city to Drain, southern Oregon, and since that time nothing has been heard from the missing relative. The Kansas City man claims to have written the postmasters at Oregon City and Drain, but has been unable to get any information concerning his brother, for whose safety the mother, aged 76 years, and other relatives are considerably alarmed.

Foreclosure And an Attachment—The Gladstone Real Estate association has brought suit against Alf M. Eklund and P. H. Marley for the foreclosure of a mortgage on block 122 of Gladstone. The mortgage was given to secure the payment of a promissory note for \$280 executed by Eklund in favor of the Gladstone Real Estate association. Marley has some interest in the property acquired by obtaining tax title. Frank Pfeiffer has commenced action in the Circuit court against Gotthard Muckenthaler for \$150 and interest from June 6,

1905, upon which date the defendant gave to the plaintiff his promissory note for \$150, payable in six months from the date of the note. An attachment has been issued.

Six Divorces; No Marriage Licenses—Six divorces were granted at a short session of the Circuit court held by Judge McBride Friday. No marriage licenses were issued on Thursday, Friday or Saturday. The current was all one way. The divorces granted by Judge McBride were as follows: Lou Schober vs. Charles Godfrey Schober, the custody of a minor child being given the plaintiff; Maud Clays vs. Henry Clays, plaintiff being restored to her maiden name, Maud Cook; Clayburn F. Brooks vs. Perline Brooks; Annie Hoben vs. Andrew Hoben; Thomas Henry Cooper vs. Edna Cooper; Lissa Pinkham Coleman vs. John Doyle Coleman.

Clackamas Men on Federal Jury—The jury in the trial of H. H. Hendricks in the Federal court at Portland, brought in a verdict of guilty. Four Clackamas county men were on that jury, and five are on the jury that is hearing the evidence in the case against Charles A. Watson on a charge of perjury in connection with final proof on his homestead entry. The Clackamas men are: Philip A. Graves, farmer, of Liberal; Elmer Dixon, farmer, Oregon City; Arthur G. Kyrk, pressman, Oregon City; M. E. Kandle, farmer, Highland; J. E. Jack, merchant, Oregon City.

Believes Outlaw Was Her Husband—A Mrs. Frank Smith of Chandler, Okla., believes the description of Frank Smith, the outlaw shot near New Era, tallies closely with her husband who left her and was last heard of in Oregon. C. E. Crider of Chandler wrote to Chief of Police Burns about the matter enclosing a stamp picture of the Oklahoma Smith. The resemblance to the dead outlaw is not considered sufficiently strong to positively identify him as the murderer of Police Officer George Hanlon, Sheriff J. R. Shaver and Captain O. D. Henderson, of Woodburn.

Two More Cases of Desertion—Two more divorce suits were filed in the Circuit court, Tuesday. Musetta B. Embody, who was married to Uri Embody at Santa Ana, Cal., in June, 1896, asks for a divorce, alleging desertion. Bertha A. Hayward is suing Will Hayward for a legal separation on the grounds of desertion. They were married at Logan, Clackamas county, September 22, 1903, and the desertion charged is said to have taken place October 3, 1903, about 11 days later. Plaintiff asks to be allowed to resume her maiden name, Mertha A. Trullinger.

Roll of Paper Crushes Man's Leg—Thomas Fay was injured Friday morning in the Crown-Columbia Pulp & Paper company's mills, a huge roll of paper falling on him and breaking his leg. He was removed to a doctor's office where his injuries were attended to, but he will be unable to resume work for some weeks. Robert Warner has been laid up for ten days by reason of an accident sustained last week in the paper mills. He slipped and fell on machine No. 5, breaking his thumb and bruising his shoulder.

Estate Consists of Death Claim—The estate of John E. Mulliken, who was killed by a live wire in this city a short time ago, was admitted to probate Monday afternoon, and J. A. Cain was appointed administrator. The estate consists of a claim of \$600 for insurance against the Portland General Electric company, in whose employ Mulliken was when he lost his life. The mother of the deceased from Corvina, Mich., and a brother from Snohomish, Wash., were in Oregon City, Monday.

Widow Receives \$1104—By the payment of \$1104 to Mrs. Lena Hargrove, widow of J. C. Hargrove, and administratrix of her husband's estate, the Willamette Pulp & Paper company has settled in full all claims of the estate against that corporation for the death of Hargrove. While in the employ of the Willamette mills several weeks ago Hargrove fell from an elevated platform on which he was working into the Willamette river and was drowned.

Shingle Mill for Milwaukie—Milwaukie, Aug. 6.—Jeffries Dennis has purchased 2½ acres of water-front land adjoining the site of the old

Standard flour mill, on which he will erect a shingle mill having a capacity of 8000 shingles. For the convenience of shipping the mill's product, the plant will be connected with the main line of the O. W. P. Railway by a sidetrack.

Falls From a Hayloft—Mrs. Smith, the wife of Captain Smith of Parkplace, fell from a hayloft in a barn Saturday. She had reached the top rung of the ladder, when she fell to the floor and was there two hours before she was found. No bones were broken but she will be confined to her bed for a week from the effects of the fall.

Husband Deserted Her in Portland—Alice Permin has entered suit for divorce from Fred Permin, to whom she was married in Vancouver, Washington, July 17, 1902. She alleges that her husband deserted her in Portland January 27, 1903, and asks to be permitted to resume her maiden name of Alice Smith.

Thief Eats Midnight Lunch—Some prowler broke into the residence of Andrew Robertson, on the hill at Oregon City, Thursday night, by unlocking the screen door. The only thing missed by the family next morning was a loaf of bread, some fruit and a portion of a box of mush.

Meldrum's Barn Burned—A barn on the property of J. W. Meldrum, at Meldrum Station, was burned to the ground, the afternoon of August 1. Mr. Meldrum and family were camping at Government Camp at the time. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Contract for 5,000,000 Feet of Lumber—Foreman Monroe of the Dorenbekker sawmill at New Era has taken a contract to cut 5,000,000 feet of lumber and the logs will be furnished by Peter Horneck. The timber will be cut on the north fork and floated down Trout creek.

Band Picnic at Hubbard—Several hundred people enjoyed a picnic at the springs near Hubbard, Sunday, given under the auspices of the Aurora band. This organization now includes all that is best in that line in southern Clackamas and northern Marion.

"It Pays to Advertise"—Lissa Pinkham Coleman filed on Wednesday a suit for divorce from John Doyle Coleman, and on Friday received a decree.

Ties for Salem-Portland Line—Aurora, Aug. 4.—Fred Hurst of this town has a contract for 75,000 ties for the new Salem-Portland electric railway, and is at work on the big order.

DEALS IN CLACKAMAS REALTY

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- J. Spangler to S. M. Eby, N half of NE quarter sec. 25, 2-5 E; \$400.
- M. A. Morris to J. C. Frost 5 acres in sec. 30, 1-2 E; \$750.
- C. T. Tooze to J. W. Thornton, 48 acres in sec. 23, 3-1 W; \$8000.
- Gladstone R. E. A. to P. P. Hedges et al, lots in Gladstone; \$3000.
- Same to J. E. Hedges trustee, lots 1, 2 and 3, blk. 34, Gladstone; \$1.
- H. E. Cross to J. E. Hedges, A. F. Hedges Cl. 3-2 E; \$1.
- N. G. Young to I. P. Hart 4 acres in sec. 27, 1-4 E; \$450.
- G. W. Kenny to J. C. Peterson 85 acres in sec. 33, 1-2 E; \$4175.
- J. C. Peterson to M. A. Bleckford, 5 acres in sec. 33, 1-2 E; \$300.
- A. D. Hill to M. E. Hayhurst lots 7 and 8, blk. 4, Parkplace; \$1100.
- W. Lang to W. H. Lang, 24 acres in sec. 5, 2-2 E; \$100.
- S. L. & I. Co., to C. A. Cole, blk. 36 Oak Grove; \$1550.
- Blanchard & Gutperlet to G. Essig, 25 acres in Vicker's Cl. 3-1 E; \$1300.
- Hibernia Savings Bank, to E. B. Morris, lot 4, blk. 24, Milwaukie Park; \$42.
- Same to T. B. Johnson, lots 5 and 6, blk. 24 Milwaukie Park; \$84.
- Hibernia Savings Bank to W. Sikes, lots 2, 3, 4 and 5, blk. 23, Milwaukie Park; \$160.
- C. M. Myers to C. R. Myers, W half of lots 3 and 4, sec. 26, E half of SE sec. 27, and NE of NE sec. 34, 3-3 E; \$5500.
- J. A. Roake to R. Robinson 46 acres in sec. 9, 4-3 E; \$...
- H. Barrs to L. Barrs 108 acres in Cl. 53, 3-2 E; \$4000.
- G. R. Bailey to J. B. Mitts 18 acres in sec. 34, 4-1 E; \$550.
- Hibernia Savings Bank to C. D. McCoy, lots 13, and 14, blk. 22, Milwaukie Park; \$84.
- B. L. Obertoeiler to J. Bone 25 acres in Cl. 48, 3-3 E; \$2048.
- F. W. Puttkamer to D. B. McBride Co., lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, block B, Clackamas Heights; \$130.

- N. A. McMurry to E. Pitts, 52 acres in sec. 5, 2-3 E; \$2000.
- A. Swygart to S. Siegenthaler, 81 acres in sec. 23, 1-3 E; \$550.
- F. S. Bagby to B. Todd, SW sec. 8, 5-1 E; \$1039.
- M. L. Willoughby to H. Willoughby lots 1 to 8, blk. 13, Canemah; \$100.
- J. A. G. Graham to J. H. Graham, lots 1 and 2, blk. 2, Lees' Add Canby; \$600.
- D. Zimmerman to R. W. Zimmerman part secs. 32 and 33, 4-1 E; \$800.

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A certified check to the amount of five per cent of the bid shall accompany each bid, conditioned that the amount of said check shall be forfeited in the event that the party making said bid fails to sign a written contract and give approved bond within five days from the date of the acceptance of said bid wherein he shall agree to faithfully perform said work according to the plans and specifications that shall be adopted by the Joint Courts of Marion and Clackamas Counties. Said bids will be opened in the County courtroom at Salem, Oregon, at 1:00 p. m., Friday, the 7th day of September, 1906.

Said Courts hereby reserve the right to reject any and all bids on said work.

County Court of Marion County, Oregon, by JOHN H. SCOTT, as County Judge.

County Court of Clackamas County, Oregon, by GRANT B. DIMICK, as County Judge. 3514

NOTICE OF ASSESSMENT.

For improvement of John Quincy Adams street of Oregon City, Oregon, from the North line of Sixth Street to the South line of Seventh Street.

Notice is hereby given that the Council of Oregon City, at a regular meeting held Wednesday, August 1, 1906, declared an assessment by Ordinance No. 353, for the improvement of John Quincy Adams street, Oregon City, Oregon, from the North line of Sixth Street to the South line of Seventh Street, in manner provided by Ordinance No. 342 of Oregon City, upon each lot, parts of lots and tracts of land benefitted thereby, to be as follows, to-wit:

- Lot 8, Block 159, Anna Jones... \$87.44
- Lot 7, Block 159, Anna Jones... 88.79
- Lot 6, Block 159, David Fancher 88.79
- Lot 5, Block 159, David Fancher 87.44
- Lot 4, Block 139, Mrs. H. L. L. Clark, 87.44
- Lot 3, Block 139, Mrs. H. L. L. Clark 88.79
- Lot 2, Block 139, C. E. Nash... 88.79
- Lot 1, Block 139, C. E. Nash... 87.44

A statement of the aforesaid assessment has been entered in the Docket of City Liens and is now due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer of Oregon City, in lawful money of the United States, and if not paid within 20 days from the first publication of this notice, such proceedings will be taken for the collection of the same as are provided by the Charter of Oregon City.

The above assessment will bear interest after 20 days after the first publication of this notice.

This notice is published pursuant to ordinance No. 353 of Oregon City, passed August 1st, 1906, by the Council of Oregon City.

By order of the Council of Oregon City. W. A. DIMICK, Recorder.

Date of the first publication of this notice, Friday, August 10th, 1906. 3512

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