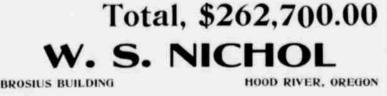
THE HOOD RIVER NEWS, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1911

ANNOUNCEMENT TTE WISH to announce that commencing February the Second we will open up as a CASH GROCERY. We are going to take off our delivery wagon and cut out our credit department and conduct our business on a strictly cash basis. We will mark our prices down so as to give our customers what it now costs us to collect accounts and run our delivery. By this plan we will eliminate all loss from lost accounts and slow collections and be able to mark prices down to a point where it will save you money. You must remember that in a credit business your good money has to pay for the slow collections and lost accounts. We will arrange to deliver in town but will charge actual cost of delivery with each order. WE WILL BE CLOSED ALL DAY WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY THE FIRST, TO REARRANGE STOCK AND CUT DOWN PRICES. WATCH NEXT WEEK'S PAPERS FOR BARGAINS IN GROCERIES. SMITH BROS. YOURS FOR BUSINESS THIRD AND OAK SUED FOR TWO-BITS LIGHT AND POWER CO.'S NEW OFFICERS COSTS COUNTY \$85 A COMPLETE LINE OF at White Salweek is interesting in show- the recent transfer of the Hood Worth of Land Sold during the past

year by W. S. Nichol. HE CAN JELL YOURS. List your land with him for 1911. Here are his last year's sales:

January-Mr. Slain to Mr. J. W. McCready\$	13,000.00
January-Mr. Neal to J. Copeland	21,000.00
February 6-Mr. Smith to Capt. McCan	17,000.00
February 11-Mr. Heilbronner to Capt. McCan	30,000.00
February 15-Mr. Church to W. R. McCready	11,000.00
March 1-Mr. Merriam to Mr. Copeland	25,000.00
March 10-Mr. Ament to Mr. Sylvester	2,000.00
March 6-Mr. Lobb to Dr. Holman	4,000.00
March 6-Mr. Briggs to Wheeler Boys.	4,000.00
April 14-Mr. Bently to Smith & Holbrook	9,000.00
April 28 Mr. Slutts to Mr. Hargreaves	5,200.00
July 26-Mr. Briggs to Dr. Younkin	6,000.00
August 15-W. L. Carnes to Mr. Tenny	13,000.00
August 15-0. A. Baker to H. H. Hadlock	5,500.00
September 10-C. R. Bone to Dr. Buell	10,000.00
October 1-Wm. Reavis to Mr. Nye	25,000.00
October 15-C. Dethman to H. F. Gleason	24,000.00
November 2-Dr. Hull to Mr. Moore	12,000.00
November 2-Mr. Lehling to W. S. Farris	10,000.00
November 15-R. A. Collins to S. M. Parker	4,000.00
Nichol to Brydle	4,000.00
Nichol to Hadley	4,000.00
Nichol to Nichol	6.000.00



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man, a burning house, a petition for & Power Co., owning light, power aid, a disagreement and a desire to and water properties at Hood River.

the bands of the law.

eek redress for alleged wrongs at

"get even." A man named C. R. Sheldon came to White Salmon finan-merly owned by the H. F. Davidson cially embarrassed, as many another interests of that city, had done before him. He needed a The American Power & Light Co.

place of residence, hunted up George controls the following companies in Smith and made a deal whereby he this territory: Pacific Power & Light was to care for Smith's horses in re- Co., Portland Gas & Coke Co., Walla turn for the rent of a house whose Walla Valley Rallway Company and architectural features or natural Hanford Irrigation & Power Co. The adornments wouldn't stampede a new officers of the Hood River Light poet's fancles very hard. Smith even & Power Co. are: Guy W. Talbot, made arrangements for credit at the president; A. S. Grenler, vice presigrocery store. dent; George F. Nevins, secretary

While Sheldon was away the and treasurer: Lewis A. McArthur, "house" burned and all its contents, assistant secretary and treasurer, It was tough luck. There wasn't and J. E. Davidson, general manamuch in it, but when a man's down ger. The Portiand offices of this to the frazzle edge of things it means company will be with the Pacific a lot. The man was up against it, Power & Light Co. in the Spalding and ashes were no comfort. Smith building.

got busy with a petition for aid and It was announced yesterday by several around town contributed. Guy W. Talbot that A. S. Grenler, A disagreement arose between Smith heretofore general manager of the and Sheldon as to the adjustment of Pacific Power & Light Co., had been things and the upshot was that elected vice-president of the Pacific Smith refused to turn over the re- Company, in charge of operation and lief fund, finally beginning to return construction. James E. Davidson, it to the contributors. Before it was heretofore new business manager, all paid back Sheldon had Smith ar- has been appointed general manager rested on a charge of obtaining to take effect at once. The price was money under false pretenses, a bust- not announced here, ness man being found who had given

a quarter to the cause and admitted WASHINGTON TO HAVE he would have to swear he had not been paid back, and the first thing

ie knew was drawn into the case.

etc.

One of the problems of the present The case was tried, with F. E. legislature of Washington to solve is Fiynn prosecuting and J. L. Suther- the redistricting of the state. The land for the defense, many witnesses new apportionment will provide for being examined, and expert physi- five congressmen, to which the state clans handy to pass on brainstorms, is entitled as a result of the 1910 cen-

sus. The tentative plans allot one

It was shown that Smith had be- representative to King county, which gun to pay back the small amounts, is virtually Scattle. Tacoma and having lost the list of coniributors, Spokane will remain the centers of and before he could do so, was overtaken by the warrant. The court two more districts. The two new units will be formed, one out of the ant's favor oh the grounds that there extreme northwest countles, along was nothing to sustain the charge. The cost to the state will amount to about \$40. The justice costs were \$2.75, constable's costs \$5.70 and wit-nesses \$35.20. The witness fees were high on account of the many who testified that Smith was paying the money back. The result of the general election of 1912.

