

### Coal Oil on the Puyallup.

Tacoma Ledger: During the past ten days there has been more or less excitement here over what are alleged to be large deposits of coal oil in this vicinity. The reported find is in the hills on the north side of Puyallup valley, at Elbi, some fifteen miles from this city, on what is known as the Van Bibber claim, and the history of it is about as follows: About six years ago coal oil is reported to have been discovered there, and from time to time specimens of it were collected, but until recently no attempt at actual development has been made. Recently Messrs. Hall and Pentland, of this city, took the matter in hand in an energetic manner, and after a somewhat extended correspondence with various parties in the East, at length succeeded in interesting certain parties in Portland to such an extent that they have now purchased the land upon which the supposed deposit is located, paying therefor the sum of \$6,000. These parties have had several specimens of the oil analyzed, and are satisfied that the quality is good, as it flashes 110 degrees Fahrenheit, and burns readily in a lamp, giving a clear white light. The only question now is as to the quantities in which it exists, and this is to be determined by a series of test wells which will be put down at once. A stock company is to be organized here immediately, and the development of the enterprise pushed rapidly. All the land contiguous to that upon which the oil has been found has been secured by outside parties who expect to realize largely should the discovery prove profitable.

### The Dead Letter Office.

The report of the bureau of the general postoffice department discloses some singular facts. Every conceivable device has been adopted for imparting information on the subject of directing and mailing letters, even to instructions on stamped envelopes of "If not called for in ten days return to—". Notwithstanding all precautions, however, the number of letters sent to the dead letter office is on the increase. Last year it was 15 per cent over the year preceding. Of the total number of letters opened, 19,989 contained money, an increase of 7 per cent. over the previous year; 24,575 contained drafts, checks and money orders, an increase of 11½ per cent; 44,731 contained receipts, certificates, paid notes and such papers, an increase of 17½ per cent; 39,242 contained photographs, an increase of 16 per cent; 52,463 contained postage stamps, a decrease of 14½ per cent; 90,842 contained merchandise and books, an increase of 20½ per cent, while 3,406,577 or an increase of 17½ per cent. contained nothing of value. The publication of these facts should teach correspondents to use more care in directing their letters, though there are other causes for the accumulation at the dead letter office.

### A River of Boiling Water.

The huge Suto tunnel which has been run under the mountains of the Comstock mines in Nevada is four miles long, and the water through it in a pine flume, made close to prevent the escape of vapor. The temperature of the water is one hundred and ninety five degrees, and three million gallons are discharged every twenty-four hours. The water loses but seventy degrees of heat on the passage, and is used for mechanical purposes by the company, and afterwards conducted through a second tunnel, eleven hundred feet long and along an open waterway a mile and half in length to the Carson river. Along its course dams are built, and hotwater baths thus extemporized, which are always ready for use. It is also used for a laundry and irrigating a tract of one thousand acres belonging to the tunnel company, and a plan is on foot to lead the hot water by pipes under the surface of the ground, near the roots of a large number of fruit trees, and also turn it to account as a means of supplying artificial heat to hot houses on a large scale.

Sixty citizens of Union county pay taxes on \$5,000 and upwards. The French estate is the heaviest tax payer, being assessed at \$33,751. The total amount of taxes to be collected on county property on the assessment of 1882, is \$36,183.50.

A new saw mill is in course of construction on Rogue river, about ten miles from its mouth. Messrs. John and William Huntley are the proprietors, and the mill will be in operation in a short time.

### Reclaiming the Desert.

In 1867 we passed over the Yakima Valley from near the falls to the head of the river. On the trip we were struck with the feasibility of converting into wheat fields the vast area of sage brush plain between where Yakima city has since been erected and the falls, by using a canal to convey the waters of the river on it for irrigation purposes. Since then we have repeatedly talked up the scheme. Now comes the Record with the information that parties in Yakima city are in communication with capitalists for the purpose of securing means to open up the country at the lower end of the valley, by constructing a canal 20 miles long and 15 feet wide, so as to irrigate all the land in that section, commonly known as Parker bottom. It is claimed that over 60,000 acres, when irrigated, will average 40 to 60 bushels of wheat to the acre, and that the climate is such that vegetables and fruits of all kinds can be raised in abundance. If they meet with success it will no doubt be the paradise of Washington Territory and where nothing now but sage brush is seen for miles, be dotted with houses and farms that will increase the valuation of the property from its present price—really nothing—to \$50 per acre. The land can be taken up under the Desert Land Act. We hope the day is not far distant when this will come to pass. There is already a ditch four or five miles in length, and four feet wide started, and it is the intention to buy into the company owning the same and increase it to 15 or 20 feet in width.—Walla Walla Union.

### FINAL SETTLEMENT.

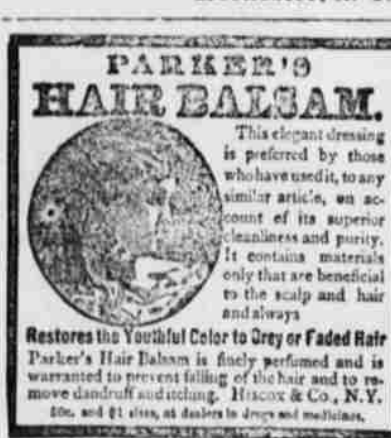
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Martha Mulholland, deceased, has filed his account for final settlement therein, and by order of the County Court, on Monday, January 24, 1883, has been set for hearing the same.

R. M. MULHOLLAND, Adm'r.  
Geo. S. Washburne, Attorney.



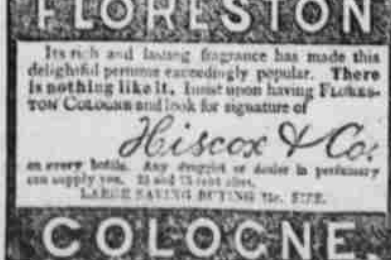
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**FINAL SETTLEMENT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned, administrator of the estate of Wm. Drury, has filed his account for final settlement; and that Monday, November 6, 1882, has been fixed by the court for the hearing of objections to such final account and the settlement thereof.

Dated September 9, 1882.

W. E. DAURY, Administrator.  
Geo. S. WASHBURN, Attorney.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the undersigned has been duly appointed by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon, administrator of the estate of Samuel H. Nusset deceased, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same to me with the proper vouchers at the law office of Geo. S. Washburne, in Eugene City, Oregon, within six months from this date.

F. M. JACKSON, Administrator.  
Geo. S. WASHBURN, Attorney.  
Dated September 23, 1882.

**Summons.**

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Lane.

James Humphrey, Plaintiff, vs. N. L. Strange, Defendant.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action, on or before the 6th day of November, 1882, which is the first day of the next regular term of said court, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of \$400 in U. S. gold coin, and for the further sum of \$40 attorneys fees, and for the costs and disbursements of this action, and plaintiff will further apply at said time for an order of said Court to sell the following real estate to satisfy such judgment as plaintiff may recover against defendant, which said real estate has been attached at the instance of plaintiff as the property of defendant, viz: The West 1/2 of the East 1/2 of Section 1, T. 18, S. of R. 4 W.; also commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 12, T. 18, S. of R. 4 W., and running thence East 60.00 chs., thence South 26.66 2/3 chs., thence West 60.00 chs., thence North 26.66 2/3 chs. to place of beginning, containing in all 320.81-100 acres of land, in Lane County, Oregon.

This summons is published by the order of Hon. R. S. Bean, Judge of said Court, made at Chambers on the 15th day of September, A. D., 1882.

H. C. HUMPHREY,  
Geo. S. WASHBURN,  
Attorneys for Plaintiff.

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT R. F. Moss has been appointed administrator of the estate of Andrew J. McDaniel, deceased, by the County Court of Lane County, Oregon. All persons having claims are hereby notified to present the same to the said administrator at his place of residence within six months from the date hereof.

R. F. MOSS, Administrator.  
Joshua J. Walton, Attorney.  
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M. E. Gibson, Plaintiff, vs. M. W. Gibson, Defendant.

To M. W. Gibson, defendant: I, M. E. Gibson, Plaintiff, do hereby require you to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit, on or before the 6th day of November, A. D., 1882, that being the first day of the next regular term of said court; and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the plaintiff will take a decree against you dissolving, annulling and avoiding the marriage contract subsisting between Plaintiff and Defendant, and for the care and custody of the minor children of said marriage, and for costs and disbursements.

This summons is published by order of the Hon. R. S. Bean, Judge of the above entitled court, which order is dated at chambers in Eugene City, Oregon, September 25, 1882.

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**FINAL SETTLEMENT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Cynthia Ann McFarland, administratrix of the estate of Johnathan McFarland, deceased, has filed her account for final settlement, of said estate, and Monday, November 6th, 1882, has been set for hearing the same.

CYNTHIA ANN McFARLAND, G. B. DONNIS, Attorney.

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