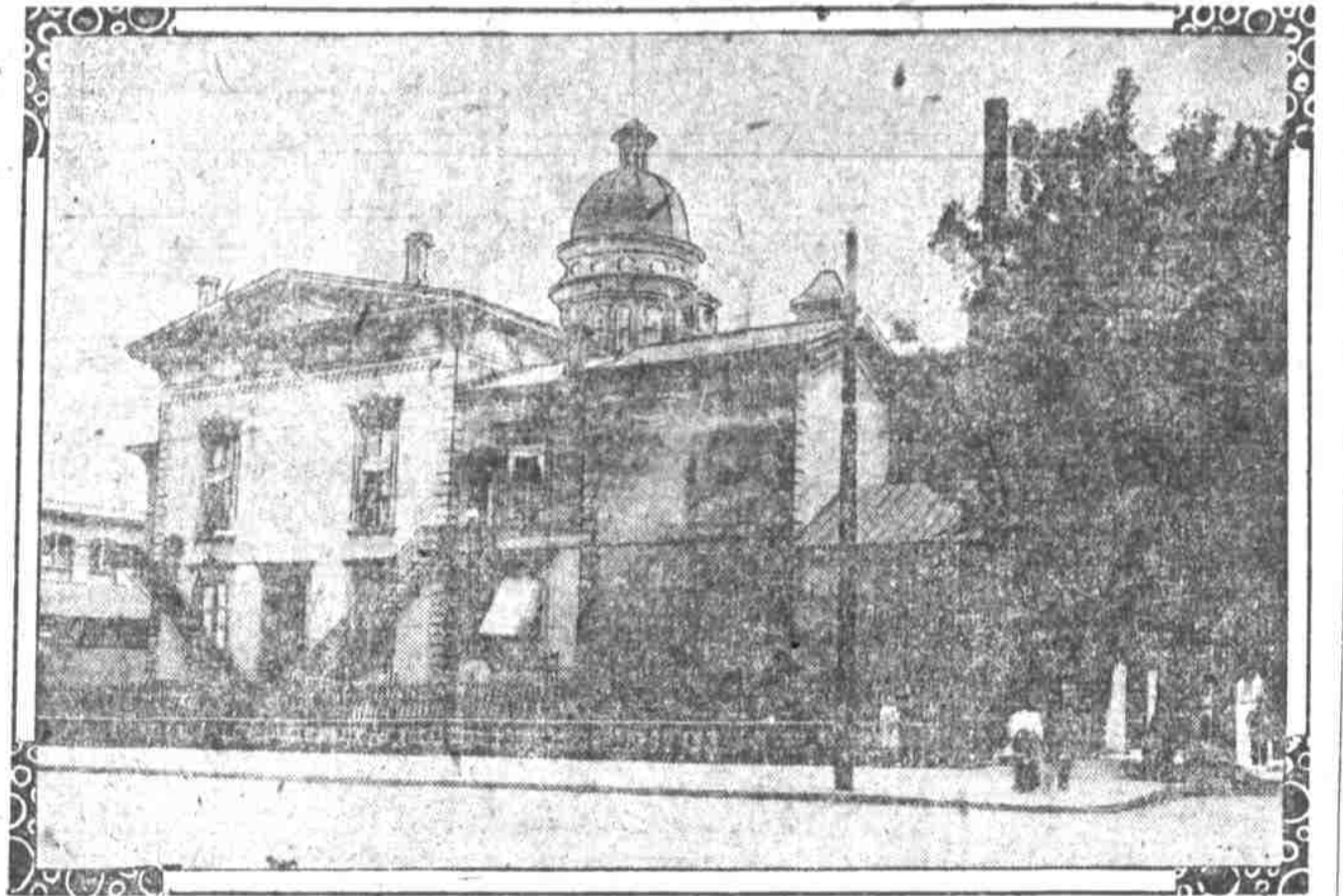


ONE MILL TAX FOR TWO YEARS WILL PROVIDE FUNDS TO REPLACE COUNTY'S DISREPUTABLE LOOKING COURT HOUSE



Multnomah county's courthouse. A monument of official unprogressiveness and a standing disgrace to both the city of Portland and the county. It is old, worn out, the roof leaks and is crowded to suffocation.

Shall a tax levy be made this fall to provide funds for the building of a \$600,000 courthouse on the site of the present antiquated and overcrowded structure? The question of making a start in that direction will soon come to the front, for the time for considering the tax levy will soon come around and tentative plans are already being discussed.

Nearly every office in the courthouse is overcrowded and the officials are calling for more room. In September it will be necessary to provide a grand jury room. The juvenile court has become an established institution and it lacks adequate quarters. The sheriff's office is so limited in extent that there is little more than standing room for the force of deputies when all are assembled.

The vaults in the office of the county clerk and the circuit court are being overfilled with valuable records that cannot be replaced if destroyed, and need to be guarded with the greatest care and most modern methods of protection. The four departments of the circuit court wear a dilapidated appearance and could be repaired at a cost of \$100,000. The results from noise on the streets, compelling the complete suspension of work during the summer months, and the building lacks modern protection in case of fire.

Crowded to overflowing. At present the offices of the assessor, treasurer and school superintendent are in the city hall, where the

Harman on the Pacific. W. D. Fenon of Portland will also be among those appearing for the defense. While the Harrington is northwest counsel for the government to retain possession of more than 2,000,000 acres of land from the Oregon & California railroad is finally called in the federal court probably during the fall or winter.

Other Suits May Follow. If the suit is won eventually by the government other suits will likely follow in the efforts of the United States to recover 60,000 acres of land which the railroad company has disposed of to several of the big timber companies in tracts of thousands of acres each. The original grant made to the railroad company for the sale of the land at \$20 an acre to actual settlers only.

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Will Go to Supreme Court. In all probability the case will be in the courts two or three years at the least, and will eventually go to the supreme court of the United States for final decision. Mr. Townsend is now at work on the bills of complaint and as soon as they are completed they will be forwarded to the state attorney general and signature of Mr. Bonaparte. The act of congress provides for the signature of the attorney-general upon these papers.

Neuhausen to Hand in Writing Puter's Book. Horace Stevens, who wrote 'Looters of the Public Domain' in connection with S. A. D. Puter, was up in arms last night owing to the fact that certain government officials at Washington are after the scalp of Thomas B. Neuhausen, special agent and attorney for the interior department, on the ground that Mr. Neuhausen was partly responsible for the alleged 'service' of the book because Mr. Stevens was employed as his assistant at the time.

Looters of the Public Domain. 'Looters of the Public Domain' nor had anybody else aside from Puter and myself, and its contents were as much of a surprise to him as anybody. I received Puter's manuscript and wrote the last six chapters of the book under my own signature while in the government service, but never infringed, in the slightest degree, upon any time of Uncle Sam's nearly all the work being accomplished in my spare time, after office hours, or on railroad trains, while traveling in the performance of duty. As a matter of fact, I worked a great many hours overtime for the government, for which I have never received a cent in the way of compensation.

Called by Writing Spies. It is claimed that Neuhausen has been marked for destruction because he has failed to 'make good'. That is a highly lame excuse, to say the least. In my opinion, if the powers at Washington have determined to get rid of him, as he is unquestionably one of the most competent officials of the land department, and nobody knows this any better than those who are seeking to bring about his removal, if such an intention will appear in due season, and when it does, it will have a tendency to reveal the government's attitude in whatever it does with the authorship of

Hop Contracts Made to Break

All sorts of arguments are being used these days to force the grower of hops to mortgage his yards in order to get sufficient money for the harvest and then give the product to the dealers at several cents a pound below the cost of production. Contracts are said to be written at all sorts of prices, but during times of low prices the number of contracts whose prices were cut in two is alarming. For instance, if a fly-by-night dealer contracts at 10c a pound when prospects look good, he may or may not take the hops if the price suddenly goes down. If the market is tight, the dealer is always in rejection at hand and this weapon was used many times last season to bunco growers.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

Table with columns: DESCRIPTION, Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks including Amal. Cop., Am. C. & P., Am. Col. Oil, etc.

Hogs Higher in East. Chicago, July 11.—Official run: Chicago, 3,000; St. Louis, 1,500; Kansas City, 1,000; Omaha, 1,000.

New York Bank Statement. New York, July 11.—Bank statement: Deposits, decrease \$1,642,050; Loans, increase \$1,616,300.

Snaps in Furniture. \$5.50 clocks, \$1.95; \$17.50 tables, \$9.50; \$10 beds, \$4.75; \$20 beds, \$15; \$25.00 chairs, \$4.50.

Work on Depot Progresses. Albany, July 11.—Work is progressing on the new Albany depot. The cement for the foundation and preliminary work will soon be completed.

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Associated Charities Now Legal Name. Amended articles of Incorporation changing the name of the City Board of Charities to the Associated Charities, in accordance with action taken by the directors, have been filed with the county clerk by Thomas M. Strong, J. C. Robinson and G. O. Germain.

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LAWYERS TO STRIVE FOR MANY MILLIONS

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Portland Firm Employed. The Union Trust company of New York, which holds papers to secure the bonds of the railroad company, has already retained the services of Dolph, Malloy, Simon & Gearin, two members of the former United States senators, to look after their interests.

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of the land department with questionable designs. It strikes me that it would be far more expedient to the public if the high officials of the land department would openly deny any of the allegations contained in Puter's book, rather than vent their spleen upon some innocent person. In my humble opinion, it would be far more preferable to all other methods if the land department should suppress the facts by swinging their ax in an irresponsible manner.

It is true that I wrote to one of the chiefs of divisions soon after the book was published, protesting against the allegations which were contained in connection with any information contained in its pages. This was done in response to a request from Mr. Neuhause, who Neuhause was blamed for some of the utterances appearing in the book. I desire to repeat, in the most emphatic terms possible, that I had nothing whatever to do with the authorship of the book, and at all times refused absolutely to furnish in any form, in any language of Sir Walter Scott, 'Seek other cause' against Koldrick Dhu.

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