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THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE.

Several Points for the Council to Re-mine Upon the Coming Year.

To the Honorable Common Council of Dalles City:

As we are about to enter upon another year's administration of city affairs, it is proper that we should have a brief resume of the past year's business and also outline or forecast the policy of the council for the coming year. At the beginning of the last fiscal year, July 1, 1895, the city had not yet completed the sale of the bonds and the principal part of the old warrants were outstanding and it is impossible to compare the cash balance at that time with the cash balance at the present time and deduct a conclusion therefrom.

I find from examining the annual report read the first Monday in July, 1895, that the expenses of the city for the year previous had been \$12,180.88, being a trifle over \$1,000 per month and this without payment of any interest. I find from the records kept by the recorder, and as will appear in his report, that the past year the expenses for city government have been \$6,973.85, or a trifle over one-half what they were the year previous. Of course to this we should add the interest on bonded debt \$3,420, making our total expenditures, including interest, \$10,393.85.

We have collected income during the past year as follows:
Saloon licenses.....\$ 5,080 00
Taxes.....4,519 01
Fines, miscellaneous licenses and other sources.....2,104 95

Total.....\$11,703 96
Less cash exp. including int.....10,393 85

Balance.....\$ 1,310 11
From the foregoing it will be seen that we have been able to run the city and pay our interest for \$1,310.11, less than the income derived the past year, a showing upon which I can congratulate the council.

The expenses have been further reduced for the coming year by discontinuing the arc lights, so if the income can be kept up to last year's figures, we shall very easily be able to have a still larger surplus at the end of the coming year. There is now a balance on hand, exclusive of the money set apart for the redemption of warrants issued prior to the time when warrants were paid by the treasurer on presentation, the sum of \$6,949.22.

Still we should not at this time simply congratulate ourselves on business success, but exercise a vigilant care for the future. We should watch that our income does not shrink by any lack of carelessness on the part of our officers and also that our monthly running expenses are not allowed to increase. The system of the past year of closely scrutinizing every bill, and closely considering every expense before incurring it, should be continued. It would be very easy for expenses to creep up again on us and instead of allowing this to be done it is my hope that in case we have any substantial surplus we may arrange to use that surplus in something tend-

ing towards the permanent improvement and advancement of the city.

We must not lose sight of the fact that on account of very close economy but little has been done toward the keeping up of the fire department apparatus, and I am informed that the purchase of a quantity of new hose and perhaps some other minor repairs will be necessary in the near future.

The light proposition is one which is entirely unsettled and I have never considered that the question was one of lights or no lights, but rather what kind of lights and what they must cost us. I heartily approve the action of the council in discontinuing the expensive arc lights, as we could not, in justice to other matters, continue paying out so much money for arc lights alone. The former expense for lights was some \$500 or \$600 greater each year than all of the money the city could collect for taxes over and above the payment of interest on bonded debt, and was out of proportion to anything else in the city government. I believe, however, the council should take the matter in hand and see what arrangements can be made for a cheaper system of lighting, so as to be able by the fall of the year to provide sufficient light for the safety of the citizens; but at the same time seeing to it that the expense is kept in proportion to other expenses of the city and within our ability to pay.

The question of street improvements in my opinion should have some consideration at the hands of this council, but by this I do not mean to say that we should begin an expensive system of improving, but that the streets should be cleaned and at least a portion of the rut holes and sand pits, which may now be seen in almost every portion of the city, should be filled. Nothing adds to the appearance of a town more than well graded and well kept streets and a vast amount of improvement in this respect could be made at a very nominal expense either to the city or the property owners.

A question which will soon confront us or others in this council and a question which must be met before long is that of sewerage. The present sewer system is imperfect and worn out. I fully appreciate the "hard times" and do not urge or advise that this question of sewerage should be taken up before it is absolutely necessary, but whenever the council is of the opinion that the majority of the property owners are in favor of a new sewer system they should not hesitate to take the matter in their hands and act; and I might go farther than this and say that whenever in the opinion of the council our sewer system is inadequate and is in such condition as to endanger the health and lives of the inhabitants of the city, they should not hesitate to try to remedy the evil even by a new sewer system. I do not believe any considerable sewer improvement could be made to advantage except by taking the entire matter in hand at one time and constructing a full and complete system entirely independent of the old.

I sincerely hope that the present council will be as harmonious in the transaction of business and as true to the city's welfare as has the council during the past year, and that the relation of the councilmen with each other and that the relation of myself with the councilmen will be mutually pleasant and agreeable. Respectfully submitted,

FRANK MENEFEE,
Mayor of Dalles City.
Dated July 6, 1896.

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Adams, Eleanor
Beard, Green
Backensto, Hale
Core, Lee
Chapman, Joseph
Campbell, Wm
Cram, F A
Castleman, W R
Densmore, Robt
Davidson, Derward
Evans, Levi K
Geer, Lester
Green, C. A F
Hibney, Jennie
Heighton, F
Helgerson, Oscar
Harrington, W L C
Harrington, Edith
Jackson, Stella
Kenwerth, John K
Lish, Robt
Lander, Wm
La Mo, F D
Lettinger, W M
Leminger, Gomie
Milleo, J M
Mitchell, Walter
Murphy, Josephine
Walker, John M
Moore, Wm S D
Martin, N C
Marr, J W
Martin, P F
Mays, Jos
Munsfield, W H
Murston, Jennie
McClung, Chase
McDonald, J M
Orewiller, N
Parrish, J E
Parker, Dan
Piercen, A
Rand, Marrin
Roton, Roy J
Ralfson, Richard
Robeson, Mary
Smythe, Irene
Stockwell, Geo
Stringer, C A
Travis, C W
Temple, Thos
Howard, Raen
Wiley, Linne
Walker, John M
Williams, C F
Weaver, George
Walker, John M

J. A. CROSSEN, P. M.

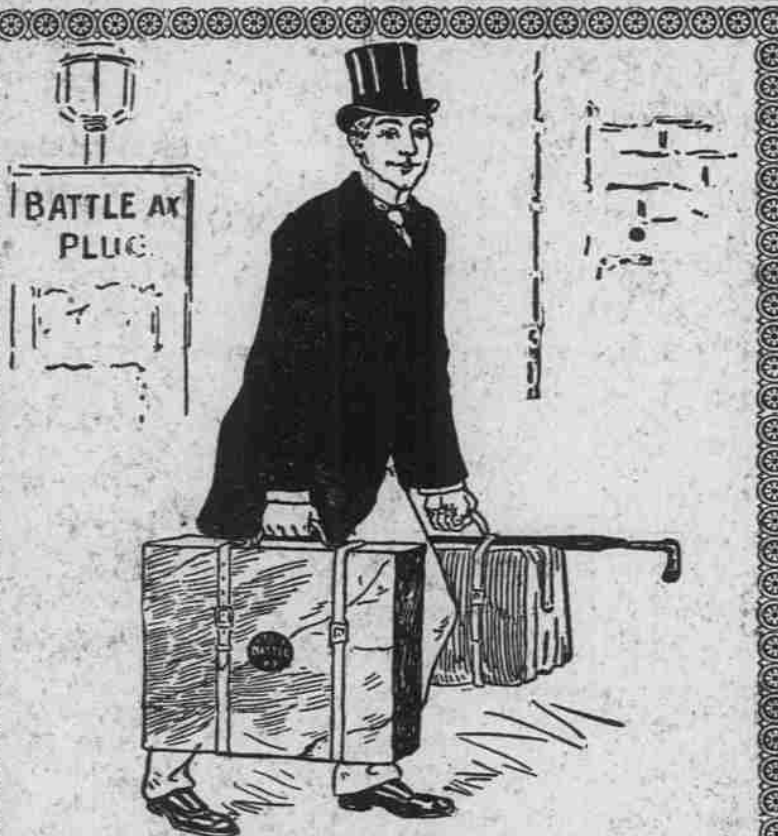
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8:30 A. M.	Roseburg and way stations.	4:40 P. M.
Daily except Sundays.	Via Woodburn for Mt. Angel, Silverton, West Seio, Brownsville, Springfield and Naton.	except Sundays.
4:00 P. M.	Salem and way stations.	10:00 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	Corvallis and way stations.	6:20 P. M.
4:45 P. M.	McMinnville and way stations.	8:25 P. M.

*Daily, except Sunday.

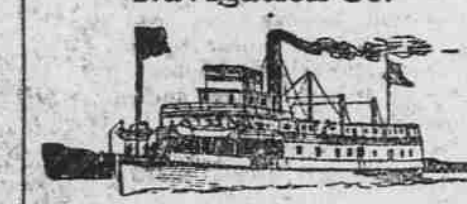
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Leave for SHERIDAN, week days, at 4:30 p. m.
Arrive at Portland, 9:30 a. m.
Leave for ARLIE on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:40 a. m. Arrive at Portland, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3:05 p. m.
Sunday trains for OSWEGO leave at 7:30, 9:00, 11:00 a. m., 12:40, 2:00, 3:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.
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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Wasco on the 15th day of June, 1896, in a suit therein pending wherein R. P. Keyes is plaintiff and O. D. Taylor, Sarah E. Taylor, The State of Oregon, as trustee for the use of the common school fund of Wasco County, John Barger, Joseph A. Johnson and C. W. Cather, and the Columbia River Fruit Company, a corporation, are defendants, to me directed and commanding me to sell at public sale the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section seven, township one north of range thirteen, east of the Willamette Meridian, containing 64 acres more or less, and also the following bounded parcel of land, situated in said county, to wit: Commencing at the northeast corner of the quarter of the northeast quarter of section eighteen, township one north of range thirteen, east of the Willamette Meridian; thence west on the section line 325 feet to a point; thence south 33 degrees east 404 feet to a point; thence north 44 degrees 50 minutes, east 132 feet; thence north 237 feet to the place of beginning, and containing one and one-half acres, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, to satisfy the sum of \$104.35 and accruing interest and \$100 attorney's fees, and \$25 costs and disbursements, and \$11.50 taxes, I will on the 18th day of July, 1896, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the courthouse door in Dalles City, Oregon, sell to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all of the above described real property.

J. D. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County.

Notice of Final Settlement

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed with the clerk of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, an account as administrator of the estate of Silas Prather, deceased, and that said County Court, by an order made and entered on the 1st day of July, 1896, has fixed the 18th day of July, 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m. as the time and the place for hearing said final account, and objections thereto and to the settlement of said estate.

J. M. HUNTINGTON, Administrator of estate of Silas Prather, deceased.

Notice of Sheriff's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Wasco County, upon a judgment and decree made and rendered therein, in an action then and therefor pending wherein the American Mortgage Company of Scotland, Limited, a corporation, was plaintiff, and Francis M. Thompson, Missourie A. Thompson, his wife, and R. F. Gibbons, S. MacAllister and John M. Marden, partners and members of the firm of Gibbons, MacAllister & Co., were defendants, I did duly levy upon and will sell at the courthouse door of the County Court House in Dalles City, Wasco county, Oregon, on

Saturday, the 25th day of July, 1896,

at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the real estate described in said execution and order of sale, and described as follows, to-wit:

The east half (1/2) of the southwest quarter (1/4) and the south half (1/2) of the northwest quarter (1/4) of section eight (8) in township (28) south of range thirteen (13) east of the Willamette meridian, in Wasco county, Oregon, containing 160 acres, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the sums due upon said writ, to-wit: \$1064, together with interest at the rate of eight per cent. per annum from June 9th, 1896; \$100 attorney's fees, and \$15 costs and disbursements due and owing to the plaintiff in said writ, together with accruing costs and interest and expenses of said sale, and also the further sum of \$1891.20, due defendants, R. F. Gibbons and John M. Marden, with interest thereon from the 9th day of July, 1896, at 10 per cent per annum, and the further sum of \$100 attorney's fees.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of Wasco, Oregon, this 25th day of June, 1896.

J. D. DRIVER, Sheriff of Wasco County, Oregon.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

LAND OFFICE, The Dalles, Or.,

April 20, 1896.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the U. S. Land office, The Dalles, Or., on June 18, 1896, viz:—

WILLIAM A. DOYLE,

He claims the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George W. Covert, J. A. Wagner, and Pat Higgins, of Endersby, and Joseph Means, The Dalles.

JAS. F. MOORE, Register.