

VESSELS ON THE WAY TO OREGON.

Table listing vessels, their destinations, and agents. Columns include ship name, captain, date, and agent.

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Great Damage Being Done in the States of Oregon and Washington. WASTON WASTE OF WEALTH. Stringent Measures Should be Adopted to Preserve the Chief Source of Wealth of the Pacific Northwest.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that I have been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Adam Satter, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are requested to present them to me at the law office of Frank J. Taylor, at Astoria, Oregon, within six months from this date.

REWARD. Clatsop County, State of Oregon. Whereas, on the 27th day of May, 1896, Esther Lore, Jack Lambert, Adolph Guttridge and Sam Melland, were waylaid and murdered near Cathlamet Head (two miles below Clifton), in Clatsop County, Oregon.

Now, therefore, Clatsop County hereby offers the following reward of ONE THOUSAND (\$1000) DOLLARS for information that will lead to the arrest or conviction of the person or persons who murdered said parties.

Said reward will be paid as follows: Five hundred (\$500) dollars will be paid for information that will cause the arrest and conviction of any one of the gang of murderers, and Five hundred (\$500) will be paid for information that will cause the arrest and conviction of the balance of the persons committing said crime.

Astoria, Oregon, June 10, 1896. J. H. D. GRAY, County Judge, Clatsop County, Or.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ASTORIA NATIONAL BANK AT ASTORIA, IN THE STATE OF OREGON, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, JULY 31, 1896.

ASSETS. Loans and discounts, \$94,678.28. Overdrafts, secured and unsecured, 602.35. U. S. bonds to secure circulation, 12,500.00. Premium on U. S. bonds, 1,500.00. Cash, 12,500.00. Bankers' acceptances, 12,500.00. Other real estate and mortgages, 8,843.00. Due from state banks and bankers, 32,000.21. Due from approved reserve agents, 7,912.35. Checks and other claims, 2,250.00. Notes of other national banks, 60.00. Fractional paper currency, checks, and coin, 295.75. PAID-UP MONEY RESERVE BANK, VIZ: Special, 20,000.00. General, 100.00. Refunded with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation), 502.50. Total, \$152,882.83.

LIABILITIES. Capital stock paid in, \$50,000.00. Surplus fund, 6,900.00. United States bonds, less expenses, 2,985.00. National bank notes outstanding, 11,250.00. Due to other national banks, 1,100.44. Due to state banks and bankers, 171.68. Individual deposits, 75,154.05. Demand certificates of deposit, 6,249.45. Time certificates of deposit, 37,968.50. Total, \$152,882.83.

State of Oregon, County of Clatsop, ss: I, J. E. Higgins, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. E. HIGGINS, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of July, 1896. FRANK S. SETTLER, Notary Public for Oregon.

Corrected—Attest: J. C. DEWENT, THEO. BRACKER, C. S. WRIGHT, Directors.

ROYAL Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength—U. S. Government Report. THE LIZZIE PRIN. Mr. Wheeler, a member of the firm of Temple & Wheeler, Tillamook, ar. arrived in the city yesterday morning and in a interview stated that the report appearing in San Francisco about the schooner Lizzie Prin was very much exaggerated. The schooner now lies in the Nehalem harbor loaded and ready for sea again, all hands on board, well and hearty. The Prin left San Francisco some-

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