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WILL BUILD THE ROAD

County Court Decides to Open Public Highway Between Independence and Sidney.

Hon. Ed. F. Coad, county judge of the court of Polk county, and Commissioner William Riddell of the same court, made a careful examination of the route for the proposed route for the Independence-Sidney road, last week, and after examining carefully the matter they decided that the construction of this road is a matter peculiarly in the interest of Polk county, and that it will be built.

This road will open up an immense expanse of country that at present is very difficult of access, and will lead to Independence without the intervening of a hill, the only drawback being the ferry at the river.

The town of Sidney is on the Willamette river on the Marion county side, about six miles above Independence. It is the center of a very valuable district and among other things has a flour mill there that took in 27,000 bushels of wheat last year. In addition to the farming of the cereal class, there are a number of fine hop farms and others of that character.

NEWSPAPER FOR RESULTS

Minnesota Merchant Says Advertising is Necessary to Succeed.

John Gately, general manager of fifty retail stores in Michigan, Illinois and Minnesota, says: "Judicious advertising is as essential to business success as a postage stamp is to the letter one drops in a postoffice. Some people plod along with business and fail to use the newspaper columns to tell the people what they have to sell or about the bargains they have to offer. These people can never be called successful men in any community.

"There is advertising and advertising, and above all other advertising comes that which is read in the newspaper. While one cannot always tell what certain advertisement produces the most results at a given time, there is a positive certainty concerning the steady advertising in the newspaper. One must advertise to get business."

BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

The largest sum ever paid for a prescription, changed hands in San Francisco, August 30, 1901. The transfer involved in coin and stock \$112,500.00 and was paid by a party of business men for a specific for Bright's Disease and Diabetes, hitherto incurable diseases.

They commenced the serious investigation of the specific Nov. 15, 1900. They interviewed scores of the cured and tried it out on its merits by putting over three dozen cases on the treatment and watching them. They also got physicians to name chronic, incurable cases, and administered it with the physicians for judges. Up to Aug. 25, eighty-seven per cent of the test cases were either well or progressing favorably.

There being but thirteen per cent of failures, the parties were satisfied and closed the transaction. The proceedings of the investigating committee and the clinical reports of the test cases were published and will be mailed free on application. Address JOHN J. FULTON COMPANY, 420 Montgomery St., San Francisco, Cal.

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Buy and ship Hogs, Mutton and Stock Sheep. Highest market price paid at all times. Address, R. F. D. No. 1, DALLAS, OREGON

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Surest and Quickest Cure for all THROAT and LUNG TROUBLES, or MONEY BACK.

THE GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE

Theford's Black-Draught comes nearer regulating the entire system and keeping the body in health than any other medicine made. It is always ready in any emergency to treat ailments that are frequent in any family, such as indigestion, biliousness, colds, diarrhoea, and stomach aches.

Theford's Black-Draught is the standard, never-failing remedy for stomach, bowel, liver and kidney troubles. It is a cure for the domestic ills which so frequently sicken the family. It is as good for children as it is for grown persons. A dose of this medicine every day will soon cure the most obstinate case of dyspepsia or constipation, and when taken as directed brings quick relief.

Theford's Black-Draught has been our family doctor for five years and we want to state a dose now all right in twelve hours. We have spent lots of money for doctor bills, but got along just as well with Black-Draught. IRA H. BAKER.

Ask your dealer for a package of Theford's Black-Draught, and if he does not keep it send us a note to Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., and a package will be mailed to you.



COURT HOUSE NOTES.

PROBATE

Estate of Anna M. Bigler, deceased—Final account set for hearing on October 29, at 1 o'clock p. m.

Estate of Sarah Jasperson, deceased—estate closed and administrator discharged.

Estate of Isaac Mattison, deceased—estate closed and executor discharged.

Estate of Lee Short, deceased—inventory and appraisal approved; administrator charged with \$287.95; petition to sell real estate set for hearing October 8, at 10 a. m.

Estate of Mary S. Leigh, deceased—D. E. Berdan cited to appear on October 21, at 10 o'clock a. m., to show cause, if any he has, why he should not be removed as administrator of said estate and some other person appointed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Christina Gage and hd to A. R. and C. E. Lombard, 54-100 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$3.24.

Oliver Stump et ux to Julia A. Ellis, tracts in Dallas, \$1400.

Harvey Gage et ux to J. J. McBee, 10 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$505.

H. M. Peebles et ux to Mrs. Frances E. Nye, 4 acres in Dallas, \$1275.

W. H. Livingston et ux to H. R. Grant, lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 10, 11 and 12, block A, Falls City, \$950.

Conrad Staffin et ux to Silas Orchard, tract in block 10, Dallas, \$800.

M. P. Masterson to Lovina Perry, lot 1, block 11, Hill's Independence, \$550.

Jonah Lowe et ux to H. P. and H. L. Bogart, lots 17, 18, 19 and 20, block C, First add to Falls City, \$525.

J. H. Dunlop to Florence McRae, 82 acres, t 7 s, r 5 w, \$500.

W. P. Bevans et ux to Peter F. Ducep, 4.06 acres, t 9 s, r 4 w, \$150.

A. Milne to Jacob H. Rempel, 62 acres, t 6 s, r 5 w, \$1650.

United States to A. L. Mills, trustee, 322 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, patent.

A. L. Mills, trustee, to F. P. Drinker, 320 acres, t 7 s, r 7 w, \$1.

Capital Lumbering Co. to Spaulding Logging Co., 160 acres, t 9 s, r 8 w, \$1.

A. N. Moores et ux to Spaulding Logging Co., 160 acres, t 9 s, r 7 w, \$1.

Henry Howe to George E. Cutler, 2.25 acres, t 7 and 8 s, r 5 w, \$5.

State of Oregon to Zim Hinshaw and B. F. Beasley, 83.55 acres, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$104.44.

P. A. Syron et ux to M. M. Stewart, 1 acre, t 8 s, r 6 w, \$150.

Fire Causes Little Damage.

Albany hunters who have returned from the Cascade mountains are authority for the statement that the recent rains have effectually extinguished all fires in the mountains, and there is no farther danger from this source to the green timber in the Cascades this year. The damage done thus far, says the Albany Herald, is very little, as all the fires cast of that city were in old burns, and instead of loss, owners of the lands burned over are really gainers, for the fires have burned away the brush and old stumps and the country over which the fire raged will now be better for the loss of the brush. No green timber has been destroyed where these hunters went, nor could they hear of any losses of that character.

Blank notes for sale here.

Negotiations have been closed between the Lewis and Clark Exposition and Frederick N. Innes, of the famous Innes Band, to furnish music for the opening ceremonies of the Exposition. The contract provides that Mr. Innes shall furnish music for the Exposition between the dates of June 1, 1905, the opening day of the Fair, and June 28, following. The band comprises 65 players.

The Corvallis Times and Corvallis Gazette have long conducted an earnest and intelligent campaign for mountain water, and it begins to look as if their efforts are to be rewarded by the installation of a first-class gravity system, the water to be brought from a fine mountain stream west of Corvallis. The business men of the Agricultural College town have decided to assist the council in securing such change of the city charter as will permit the issue of bonds for mountain water purposes, and it is altogether probable that the new system will be built next year. McMinnville is also taking steps toward securing mountain water, and the two excellent newspapers published in that city are leading the movement.

Emergency Medicines.

It is a great convenience to have at hand reliable remedies for use in cases of accident and for slight injuries and ailments. A good liniment and one that is fast becoming a favorite if not a household necessity is Chamberlain's Pain Balm. By applying it promptly to a cut, bruise or burn it allays the pain and causes the injury to heal in about one-third the time usually required, and as it is an antiseptic it prevents any danger of blood poisoning. When Pain Balm is kept at hand a sprain may be treated before inflammation sets in, which insures a quick recovery. For sale by Wilson Drug Co.

Seeding on summer fallow is progressing nicely. Fall seeding in the Columbia River valley is doing well.

When troubled with constipation try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are easy to take and produce no gripping or unpleasant taste. For sale by Wilson Drug Co.

While the recent rains were generally insufficient to place the soil in condition for plowing, they cleared the atmosphere of smoke, started grasses on the ranges and pastures, and revived all vegetation.

Sour Stomach.

When the quantity of food taken is too large or the quality too rich, sour stomach is likely to follow, and especially so if the digestion has been weakened by constipation. Eat slowly and not too freely of easily digested food. Masticate the food thoroughly. Let five hours elapse between meals, and when you feel a fullness and weight in the region of the stomach after eating, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and the sour stomach may be avoided. For sale by Wilson Drug Co.

Threshing will be completed in Eastern Oregon this week. The yields continue to fall below the average, but the quality is good.

In Praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

"Allow me to give you a few words in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," says Mr. John Hamilton, of Eagle Pass, Texas. "I suffered one week with bowel trouble and took all kinds of medicine without getting any relief, when my friend, Mr. C. Johnson, a merchant here, advised me to take this remedy. After taking one dose I felt greatly relieved and when I had taken the third dose was entirely cured. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for putting this great remedy in the hands of mankind." For sale by Wilson Drug Co.

Relinquishment For Sale.

Relinquishment on 160-acre homestead for sale. Settler has lived on place six years. Four acres in cultivation; seven acres in pasture; all kinds of fruit; house, barn, and outbuildings; good river-bottom land; road runs through place; on mail route, and close to school; near neighbors. Will sell cheap for cash, or will trade. Inquire of W. V. FULLER, Agent, Dallas, Or.

Reduced Rates to St. Louis Exposition

The Southern Pacific Company will sell round trip tickets at greatly reduced rates to St. Louis and Chicago around the St. Louis Exposition, on the following dates: June 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, August 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 1904.

Going trip must be completed within ten days from date of sale, and passengers will be permitted to start on any day that will enable them to reach their destination within the ten days limit. Return limit ninety days, but not later than December 31, 1904.

For full information as to rates and routes call on Agent Southern Pacific Company.

What is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in Constipation, Headache or Liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjust this. Itgentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at Belt & Cherrington's drugstore.

Portland and Return Only \$2.50.

The Southern Pacific is now selling round trip tickets to Portland from Dallas for \$2.50, good going Saturday P. M. or any train of Sunday, returning Sunday and Monday, giving all day Sunday and Monday in Portland. The same arrangement applies from Portland, giving all Portland people a chance to visit valley points at greatly reduced rates.

Call on Southern Pacific Company's agent for particulars.

Fearful Odds Against Him.

Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For years he was troubled with kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order and now he testifies: "I'm on the road to complete recovery. Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel complaints. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed by Belt & Cherrington, Druggist."

Late apples promise an abundant yield.

A Boy's Wild Ride for Life.

With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 18 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma; but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. He writes: "I now sleep soundly every night. Like marvelous cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Grip prove it matches merit for all Throat and Lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Belt & Cherrington's drug store."

Dairymen are busily engaged in filling their silos.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvellous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for Cuts, Burns, Boils, Sores, Felons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Eruptions, infallible for Piles. Care guaranteed. Only 25 cents at Belt & Cherrington, Druggist.

Light frosts occurred on one or two mornings last week in scattered portions of the Willamette Valley.

Has Sold a Pile of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for more than twenty years and it has given entire satisfaction. I have sold a pile of it and can recommend it highly.—JOS. M. ELLISON, Linton, Iowa. You will find this remedy a good friend when troubled with a cough or cold. It always affords quick relief and is pleasant to take. For sale by Wilson Drug Co.

In Southern Oregon, the third crop of alfalfa has been secured in good condition.

Corvallis & Eastern Railroad

TIME CARD NO. 26.			
No. 2 for Yaquina—			
Leaves Albany	12:45 P. M.		
Leaves Corvallis	1:45 P. M.		
Arrives Yaquina	5:30 P. M.		
No. 1 Returning—			
Leaves Yaquina	7:15 A. M.		
Leaves Corvallis	11:30 A. M.		
Arrives Albany	12:15 P. M.		
No. 3 for Detroit—			
Leaves Albany	1:00 P. M.		
Arrives Detroit	6:00 P. M.		
No. 4 from Detroit—			
Leaves Detroit	6:30 A. M.		
Arrives Albany	11:15 A. M.		
Train No. 1 arrives in Albany in time to connect with the S. P. south bound train, as well as giving two or three hours in Albany before departure of S. P. north bound train.			
Train No. 2 connects with the S. P. trains at Corvallis and Albany giving direct service to Newport and adjacent beaches.			
Train No. 3 for Detroit, Breitenbush and other mountain resorts leaves Albany at 1:00 p. m., reaching Detroit about 6:00 p. m.			
For further information apply to EDWIN STONE, Manager, T. COCKRELL, Agent, Albany, H. H. CRONISE, Agent, Corvallis			

Salem, Falls City & Western Railway Co.

TIME-TABLE, Effective April 1.			
Daily except Sunday.			
West-Bound:	A. M.	P. M.	
Lv. DALLAS	7:30	1:20	
*Teta's Sliding	7:46	1:36	
*Gilliams	7:49	1:39	
*Bridgeport	7:55	1:45	
At FALLS CITY	8:05	1:55	
Est-Bound:	A. M.	P. M.	
Lv. FALLS CITY	9:20	4:35	
*Bridgeport	9:20	4:35	
*Gilliams	9:26	4:41	
*Teta's Sliding	9:29	4:44	
At DALLAS	9:35	4:50	
*Trains Stop on signal only.			
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A big assortment—prices according to quality—all fitted with "Double Surcingle," a new feature which every horseman will readily appreciate. Come and see them.

HARNESS OIL, Best Grade, WHIPS and ROBES.

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MAIN ST., DALLAS, ORE.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Polk County, Department No. 2. H. Hirschberg, Plaintiff, vs. Martha Sloper and George W. Sloper, her husband, John M. Burford and Emma Burford his wife, George W. Burford and Mrs. George W. Burford his wife, Julia Simmons and Sylvester Simmons her husband, Thomas J. Burford and Mrs. Thomas J. Burford his wife, J. M. Burford and Laura Burford his wife, John W. Shelton and Mrs. John W. Shelton his wife, Lucy O. Graves, Curtis M. Shelton and Mrs. Curtis M. Shelton his wife, Grant Shelton and Mrs. Grant Shelton his wife, Hollis Shelton and Mrs. Hollis Shelton his wife, Arthur Shelton and Mrs. Arthur Shelton his wife, Alfred Shelton and Mrs. Alfred Shelton his wife, Lena Seary and Mr. Seary her husband, A. D. Davidson, Mrs. A. G. Nye, Aida Seville, Mrs. Aida Seville, Mrs. Lola Gray and Calvin Gray, Defendants.

To Martha Sloper and George W. Sloper her husband, John M. Burford and Emma Burford his wife, Julia Simmons and Sylvester Simmons her husband, Thomas J. Burford and Mrs. Thomas J. Burford his wife, J. M. Burford and Laura Burford his wife, John W. Shelton, Thomas J. Graves, Herbert Graves Curtis M. Shelton and Mrs. Curtis M. Shelton his wife, Grant Shelton and Mrs. Grant Shelton his wife, Hollis Shelton and Mrs. Hollis Shelton his wife, Arthur Shelton and Mrs. Arthur Shelton his wife, Alfred Shelton and Mrs. Alfred Shelton his wife, Lena Seary and Mr. Seary her husband, A. D. Davidson, Mrs. A. G. Nye, Aida Seville, Mrs. Aida Seville, Mrs. Lola Gray and Calvin Gray, Defendants.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You and each of you are hereby required to appear each and every the above named complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit in the above named court on or before six weeks from the date of the first service of this summons upon you to said real premises, or any part thereof, and for such other and further relief as to the court may seem meet with equity.