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CIRCUIT COURT

CONCLUSION OF 31 JUDICIAL DAY.

F. M. Kelsey v Agnes Kelsey, decree of divorce; witnesses, F. M. Kelsey, Eliza Williams and Mrs. W. Kelsey.

Della A. Keen v W. B. Keen, decree of divorce; witnesses, Della A. Keen, Sadie Keen, Mrs. Pomeroy J. W. Barcroft v Harriett N. Barcroft; decree of divorce, witnesses, J. W. Barcroft and W. R. French. B. F. Purdy v W. C. Tupper.

State v Jas. H. Burke; defendant arraigned and given until Monday to plead.

In the matter of the estate of Jacob Brugger, decd, will of deceased declared to be his last will and testament and administrator directed to proceed with administration pursuant to term of will (this matter having been settled between the parties) MONDAY, 4th JUDICIAL DAY.

D W Fiske v J C Hare; jury excused until tomorrow morning on account of the death of one of the sons of Juror Moses Dillaby.

State of Oregon v James H. Burke; defendant pleads guilty and Wednesday, Dec. 2, fixed for passing sentence.

R Montague, trustee v E L Schieffelin et als. Demurrer to defendant's further and separate answer argued and taken under advisement by court.

Louisa Jones v Martin Allen Jones; default and reference.

Marguerite M Heil v Karl L Heil; default allowed against defendant and referred to Chas E Ronyon to take and report testimony.

State of Oregon v Peter Asp; District Atty Harrison Allen returns not a true bill and defendant discharged.

Annie Breck v F. M. Robinson; default and decree against F. M. Robinson and wife.

Jennie M Higgins v C W Higgins; decree of divorce as prayed for.

C Hellman v J P Borchers et als; motion for a continuance overruled.

Helen Asp v Peter Asp; decree of divorce as prayed for; witnesses: Helen Asp, Mrs. Lunow and Mr. Schwartz.

R. Montague, trustee v E L Schieffelin et als. Clerk to enter former order of court nunc pro tunc, as of the date same was made.

Christina Nelson v Ole Nelson; decree (divorce) as prayed for.

Marguerite M Heil v Karl L Heil; decree of divorce as prayed for.

State v Daniel J Tromley and Lizzie T Tromley; arraigned upon a charge of arson and given until Thursday to plead.

State v Richard H Kennedy; defendant arraigned upon a charge of burglary and given until Thursday afternoon to plead.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Asa Williams deceased, sale of real est confirmed.

Guardianship of Jessie Dickerson, a minor. Bond filed and approved. Letters of guardianship issued to Mrs. Columbia Dickerson.

Guardianship of Dot and Edwin Patton, minors. Annual account and report filed. Guardian allowed

10 dollars per month for 12 months for support of minors.

Est Wm Leverich, dec'd. Certain household and kitchen furniture set over to Emma Cole took as provided by will.

Est of F J Barber decd. Final settlement continued until Monday, Dec. 14, 1903, at 10 o'clock a m.

Est Asa Williams decd. Order made authorizing administratrix to pay Geo R Bagley the sum of \$ 00 lars in a compromise on a tax lien against es'.

Est of Geo Shaver decd, bond of administrator filed and approved. Letters of administration issued to E A Knotts, John Tigard, Andrew Woodby and W E Shaver appointed appraisers to meet at the store of Chas Tigard, Tigardville, Oregon, on Saturday, Dec 19, 1903 at 10 a m.

COUNTY COURT

August Schamburg, of Tigardville was committed to the Oregon State Insane Asylum by County Judge L A Rood, on Thursday, Dec 31. Schamburg was discharged from the Asylum in 1901 as cured, but has had another attack.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Mary E Stock to Mary F Finch 12 35 a in Lawrence Hall d l c \$ 350

John P Wagner to Francis A Bear lot 10 block 2 Curtis add to Forest Grove..... 100

D W Fiske et als to Sam Lawrence 29 a in sec 33 t 1 s r 2 w..... 1100

Geo G Hancock et ux to Harry Haynes 50 a in sec 32 t 1 n r 3 w Mary Burr et al to Geo Hancock same as above..... 2900

Joseph Moon to Robt McCracken 55 in Chas Conklin d l c..... 2675

John TGerrish to FM Hill 40 a in Donald McLeod d l c..... 4000

A W Lambert to X A Gasson 20 a in sec 25 t 1 s r 2 w..... 400

Alonzo Sigler to Frank Doughty lots 3 and 4 block 8 Hillsboro..... 300

August Gebhart to G W Andrews 20 a in sec 35 t 2 s r 1 w..... 625

Willis A Johnson to J T Gerrish 50 a in sec 33 t 1 s r 4 w..... 3900

Chas H Stewart to Calvin Jack Jr 26 a in Micheal Moore d l c..... 2000

H A Ruble to Fred Olsen 10 a in sec 2 t 1 s r 3 w..... 1075

A M Christian to Peter J Christian 20 a in sec 21 t 2 n r 2 w..... 1

Lydia Ahlstrom to J C Aldrich lot 2 block 10 Forest Grove..... 650

E C Brown to A M Pope lots 2 blk 18 Hillsboro..... 400

Phillip Master to Anna Master lots 4 and 5 block I Hillsboro..... 240

Thos Roberts to Annie Mack 13.81 a m P Harris d l c..... 463

Wm Fouls to Anna Macks 4.35 a in A Landess d l c..... 100

C F Hall to Mary E McCracken lot 3 block 4 in Sherwood Ore 300

PORTLAND AND RETURN only 85cts.

The Southern Pacific Co. is now selling round trip tickets to Portland from Hillsboro for \$.85, good going Saturday or Sunday, returning Sunday and Monday, giving all day Sunday and Monday in Portland.

The same arrangement applies from Portland, giving people a chance to visit Valley points at greatly reduced rates.

A prospective borrower one day this week was offered two propositions, six per cent. straight or five per cent. and pay the taxes. A little investigation proved that the six per cent. offer would be cheaper on a \$1000 loan by \$10.25 a year, so he went on his way rejoicing that he had taken up the first offer.

REPORT OF CITY RECORDER H. T. BAGLEY

Report for the year ending November 15, 1903 together with comparative statement.

Total amount of warrants drawn on general fund for year ending November 18, 1902—1 320 51

Total amount of warrants drawn during year ending November 18, 1903—1,035.10

Net decrease, 283 41.

STATEMENT OF MONEY RECEIVED AND DEPOSITED IN GENERAL FUNDS.

1902		1903.	
For dog license,	\$52 00	\$38 00	
For show license,	18 50	25 56	
For wood-saw license,	4 00	3 00	
Total,	74 50	66 50	

WATER AND LIGHT REPORT.

Earnings of the water and light plant from November 1, 1901 to November 1, 1903. Compared with the previous year.

1901		1902	
Nov.	\$301 75	\$307 67	
Dec.	373 42	400 20	
Total,	675 17	707 87	

1902

Jan.	\$377 66	\$450 74	
Feb.	374 93	413 42	
Mar.	367 82	388 77	
Apr.	369 34	394 67	
May.	364 01	391 12	
June.	361 97	381 91	
July.	342 03	381 73	
Aug.	345 53	382 93	
Sept.	354 83	392 65	
Oct.	367 51	424 42	
Total,	\$4330 71	\$4799 93	

RECEIPTS.

Light and water as per statement,	\$4799 93	
Irrigation,	95 90	
Other sources,	1014 91	
Stock, etc., on hand,	1215 13	
Total,	\$7125 87	

EXPENDITURES

Expense,	\$587 28	
Salaries,	1327 97	
Fuel,	1041 25	
Plumbing & light stock,	1278 79	
Lamps,	115 00	
Interest and exchange on lands,	1225 50	
Extra labor,	383 82	
Total,	\$5959 61	

Net gain, \$1166. 26

Note:—To this should be credited the street lights and water at \$1265.00, making a total gain of \$2431.26

REPORT OF CITY TREASURER A. C. SHUTE.

Report for year ending Nov. 30th 1903.

GENERAL FUND	
Bal on hand Nov 18, 1902	\$ 288 03
Rec'd from Co Treasurer	1909 99
" " City Recorder	69 50
" " Marshal	122 57
" " saloon license	1200 00

War'ts red'm with int \$2744 64

Bal cash on hand..... 845 45

Total \$3690 09 \$ 3590 09

War'ts outstanding Nov 18, '02 5054 11

" " " 30, '03 2933 96

Decrease for the year... \$ 2120 15

LIGHT AND WATER FUND

Bal on hand Nov 18, 1902..... \$ 2 56

Cash rec'd from City recorder... 6136 33

War'ts redeemed with int and int on bonds... \$ 5203 54

Bal cash on hand... 935 35

Total \$6138 89 \$ 6138 89

War'ts outstanding Nov 30, '03... 2936 69

" " " Nov 18, '02... 2781 50

Increase for year..... \$ 155 19

Representative T. N. Murphy, a Democratic member from Union county, has been taken to a Portland hospital, having been poisoned by eating canned goods while on a hunting trip. He will not be recovered by the time of the extra session.

OREGON OCCURRENCES.

A Grant's Pass workman with a dinner pail drove off two highwaymen who sought to relieve him of his cash.

St. Helens timber companies have several million feet of logs stored in a near by slough awaiting an advance in market.

An Eugene logger celebrated Thanksgiving too much, forged his employer's name to a check and ended up in jail at Junction City where he attempted escape by tearing down the chimney.

The State institutions at Salem advertised for bids for wood and only were offered 5100 cords out of 8099 wanted.

Grant's Pass Masons Monday received a charter for a Knights Templar Commandery.

Salem is having a stirring city campaign with a representative of the National Anti-Saloon league insisting on observing the laws.

Salem is soon to lose one of its old wooden eyecores for a modern brick office building adjoining the Statesman office.

A toria in November doubled the revenue for the same month of last year, from protective fines, taking in \$847 from its gamblers.

The Echo jack rabbit cannery got 5000 lbs. of meat from its first drive in which 200 people killed 1000 "American Hares" About twice as many escaped.

A Cottage Grove blacksmith has had his safe robbed of \$27 by some one having a key to the premises and knowing the combination.

An O. R. & N. Westbound freight had its locomotive derailed by striking a rock in the tunnel near The Dalles Monday. Two days before a Japanese laborer was run over and killed near there.

SCHOLLS TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

The local teachers' institute at Scholls Saturday had a large attendance and proved full of interest. The afternoon session was turned into a parents' meeting, taking up the centralization of schools and the discussion, led by Co. Supt. Ball and Teacher Jackson, aroused such a sentiment that the first example of consolidation of districts under this law is likely to occur in that neighborhood. Scholls neighborhood is progressive and with its good roads, farmers' telephones and rural mail delivery needs only good schools to have all the advantages of town life, with their churches and lodges. The Artisans have a fine hall which is the social center and besides their assembly hold regular meetings there: Districts 50, with 53 children, No. 39 with 58, No. 96 with 19, and No 100, a small joint district, would make a large district able to support a good school. The plan provides for transporting the children to school in wagons which in 3 or 4 hours a day can make the two trips of four miles and back and would cost only about \$1.25 a day. Several communities in the county are similarly situated and will probably follow the example if Scholls sets it.

The Chinook Observer's editor, Geo. Hibbert, well known in this county, was badly beaten Saturday by a man who thought he had been unfairly treated in the discussion of a water right question, but the reader found out his mistake, admitted he had been too hasty and the editor will forgive him.

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