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To Patrons and Correspondents.

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Before coming to the city to trade readers are requested to examine The Independent advertising columns. Its active wide-awake business man who advertises, consequently he is the most accommodating, sells the cheapest, and deals the most liberally in every way.

More Indictments.

The Portland Federal grand jury made its second public appearance Tuesday afternoon, at which time it returned indictments against Salmon B. Ormby, of Salem; William H. Davis, of Albany; Clark E. Loomis, of Eugene; Henry A. Young, George Sorenson, of Portland; John Doe and Richard Roe. The charge is that the indicted men entered into conspiracy on December 29, 1901, having as their object the defrauding of the Government of the United States out of a portion of its public lands in township 11 south of range 7 east and that by means of false and forged applications, false and forged affidavits and proofs of homestead entry and settlement, some in the name of real and some in the name of fictitious persons, the government was induced to issue patents to the lands.

Married.

A pretty wedding occurred at high noon Wednesday December 21, 1904, at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Heinicke, of Laurel, Rev. J. Soper, of Scholls officiating. The contracting parties being Arthur D. Hill, and Miss Lottie Heinicke, both of Laurel. The groomsmen were Mr. Roy Heinicke, brother of the bride and the bridesmaid Miss Effie Messinger. The parlor was beautifully decorated, an arch being formed under which the bride and groom stood. After the ceremony the way to the dining room was led by the bride and groom, and the wedding party consisting of relatives and friends, were seated to a sumptuous repast.

The groom is a promising young man of Laurel Community and the bride is very popular in her neighborhood, and a most excellent young lady. The bride and groom were the recipients of many nice presents of value, consisting of a well-filled purse, two finely decorated lamps, silverware, napkins rings, fine linens and other nice and useful presents.

Lombard-Tongue.

On Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Congregational church in Portland, occurred the marriage of Martin Gay Lombard, of Portland, and Miss Mary Gertrude Tongue, of this city, daughter of the late Congressman Tongue, the ceremony being performed by Rev. House. The bride was given away by her oldest brother, Attorney E. B. Tongue, Miss Bertha Tongue, acting as bridesmaid and Geo. McMillan, of Portland best man. After the ceremony an elegant breakfast was served at the Portland Hotel, and at 8:30 the happy couple took the train for San Francisco, Los Angeles and other California points, where they will spend their honeymoon. From California they will go to New York, Boston and other Eastern cities to visit Mr. Lombard's relatives, returning in about six weeks to Portland where they will make their home. The bride was born and brought up in this city, and her numerous friends will wish for her and her husband a happy future. The Monday Morning Oregonian says of the marriage:

Martin Gay Lombard and Miss Mary Gertrude Tongue were united in marriage at the First Congregational church, yesterday, Rev. D. L. House, D. D., officiating.

The ceremony occurred at 3 o'clock in the presence of 150 invited guests, and was one of the pretty social events of the season. After the service a wedding breakfast was served at the Portland Hotel at which 50 guests were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lombard left on the Southern Pacific last night for Coronado, Cal., where their honeymoon will be spent.

Mrs. Lombard is the daughter of the late Representative Thomas H. Tongue, and has been a social favorite for a long time. She enjoyed a large acquaintance in Washington social circles and is known for her attainments and accomplishments.

The groom comes from one of the oldest and most prominent families of Boston and is a member of the Mayflower Society of America. He, in connection with his father, B. Lombard, Jr., has large business interests throughout the Pacific coast, and is president of the First National Bank, Pullman, Wash., the Pacific Grain Company, Portland.

Upon their return to Portland, where they will make their future home. Mr. Lombard will begin the construction of a handsome residence.

Is it Right for a Minister of the Gospel to Charge a Fee for Conducting Funerals?

A criticism of a Portland minister, which appeared a short time ago in the Morning Oregonian, for charging a fee for conducting a funeral, is what has called forth this article. It is important that the general public of Washington county should know something of this subject from the ministers' point of view. Clergymen of the various denominations are engaged by their local church, and paid salaries to perform the functions of their office, and care for the organization of which they are pastors. Outside work always involves expense. The writer has had many years experience both in the East and the West in funeral occasions and can testify that they are events which needs careful and hasty preparation which sometimes deprives one of their regular rest and sleep. Sometimes a minister is obliged to neglect his regular service in order to hold a funeral for people entirely outside his own membership. Sometimes he is required to drive five, ten or twenty miles into the country with a hired rig, or drive his own rig if he has one, which amounts to the same thing. This is no little extra expense for a minister in limited means saying nothing about the time he spends in preparation at home and the time taken at the funeral. These expenses should be cheerfully met by the people who engage the minister, without, of course, they are members of his church and contribute to his support. Personally, I can say I am called upon frequently to attend funerals outside of town. Perhaps, because I am the only minister in Hillsboro who keeps a horse and rig. But this I find is no little expense. In many cases in the past I have refused to accept a fee for such service, but in the near future I shall expect a fee without the people are to pay to it.

Hillsboro, December 28th, 1904
A. ROBINSON.

Real Estate Transfers.

Theresa Herb et al. to John H. Herb W. 1/4 of W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 sec 6 T. 1 N. R. 3 W. 1/2 1233 31

Theresa Herb et al. to Charles J. Herb 1/4 of W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 sec 6 T. 1 N. R. 3 W. 1/2 2466 06

A. M. McPherson to George Hanson, part of the S. S. Tupper D. L. Cone acre. C. C. Caples (trustee) to J. D. Rode, part of H. Buxton S. D. L. C. 3366 20

Investment Company to Lewis Van Kleek part of the Thos. D. Humphreys D. L. C. 729 25

Investment Company to J. J. Van Kleek part of Thos. D. Humphreys D. L. C. 1700 00

Williamette Real Estate Company to Mary E. Hatch, lots 9 and 10 block 19 Cornelia 50 00

State Land Board to Charles S. Reynolds two acres near Mountaineer. 1200 00

Joao Knight et al. to H. G. King 43.56 acres in sec 2 T. 1 N. R. 4 W. W. M. 1200 00

Michael Oudet et al. to Henry Behman et al. 100 acres sec 22 T. 1 S. R. 3 W. W. M. 5665 00

Joao M. James to W. S. Alton, part of the Geo. V. James farm, tract in same farm (same parties). 917 00

S. J. Talbot et al. to Nancy Kousou 2 1/2 acres in Fairview addition. 740 70

Earl B. Hawk et al. to Frank Emerson part of block 38 Forest Grove. 100 00

Frank Emerson et al. to Geo. H. Baldwin part of the H. Buxton S. D. L. C. 650 00

J. D. Rode et al. to Charles Hainroot part of the H. Buxton S. D. L. C. 2200 00

Eliel Schaler to F. L. Neil, lot 29 Spencer's Homestead. 500 00

Caroline Weiman to Charles Shamburg three-fourths of an acre in sec 2 T. 2 S. R. 1 W. W. M. 1 00

G. H. Haack to Charles Shamburg, lot 2 in Peachville. 400 00

Richard Reyerath et al. to Catherine Longfry, 7 acres in Wm. Stokes D. L. C. 1300 00

B. H. Trumbull to J. L. Washburn S. E. 1/4 18 T. 2 N. S. W. M. 1300 00

Susan E. Johnson to H. C. Carstens part of Wm. Wilson D. L. C. 100 00

H. Wehrman et al. to H. C. Carstens, part Wm. Wilson D. L. C. 100 00

W. B. Wilson et al. to H. C. Carstens, int in Wm. Wilson D. L. C. 800 00

A. E. Humphreys to H. C. Carstens, same as above. 100 00

Arminia H. Humphreys to Ella Huston, lot 3 sec 25 T. 1 S. R. 3 W. W. M. and other lands. 40 00

Banks Hall Association to J. F. Carstens tract in sec 31 T. 1 N. R. 3 W. 300 00

The Oregon Mortgage Co. to K. E. Baxter 30 acres in sec 31 T. 2 S. R. 1 W. 10 00

H. C. Carstens to Alex Schulp, part of Wm. Wilson D. L. C. 500 00

K. E. Carstens to Florian Fox 30 acres in sec 31 T. 1 N. R. 3 W. 500 00

E. J. McKelrick et al. to J. L. Washburn S. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 sec 12 T. 2 S. R. 6 W. and other lands. 1000 00

Grant Landman et al. to T. W. Henton part of block 1 Humphreys Add. Hillsboro. 500 00

Benton Killian to Harriet Killian part of sec 13 T. 2 N. R. 3 W. and part of sec 18 2nd 2nd 1 00

John Kamp to Nils Larson, 16 acres in sec 17 T. 1 S. R. 2 W. and other lands. 350 00

Edward Pointier to John H. Tongue 4 acres in sec 1 T. 1 R. 1 W. 1 00

Kate Fano to David Harper, lot 12 fruit-hill lands. 400 00

L. A. Woodberry et al. to A. G. Woodberry 60 acres in sec 4 T. 2 N. R. 3 W. 1 00

A. G. Woodberry to L. A. Woodberry part of sec 4 T. 2 N. R. 3 W. 1 00

Frank Heesacker to John A. Kreiger tract in Wren D. L. C. T. 1 N. R. 3 W. 850 00

T. W. Henton to Geo. Landman S. E. 1/4 of S. W. 1/4 sec 36 T. 1 S. R. 3 W. W. M. 500 00

Mable Haynes et al. to J. L. Washburn sec 22 and 27 and T. 2 N. R. 3 W. 800 00

T. W. Thompson et al. to C. B. Buchanan lot 67 S. and 10 block 24 Cornelia 400 00

J. H. Colt et al. to J. L. Washburn, 80 acres in sec 18 T. 2 N. R. 3 W. W. M. 800 00

J. D. Rode et al. to J. J. Marshall 26.64 acres in H. Buxton D. L. C. T. 1 N. R. 4 W. W. M. 2005 00

Cornelius.

Married on December 25th in this city, Mr. Ernest Johnson of Utah and Nellie Alves of Cornelia. The groom is a resident of Box Elder county Utah. The knot was tied by H. G. Fitch, Justice of the Peace.

The entertainment Christmas Eve at the A. C. church went off without a hitch. The programme was quite lengthy and the music and recitations were such as were eminently appropriate to the occasion, of a religious character and tone and were well rendered. There were two trees, which were well-laden the children under the leadership of Mrs. Stella Miller did fine.

The M. E. church held their entertainment at Mrs. Mattie's hall. People who were present report an enjoyable time.

The surveyors for the Portland and Forest Grove electric line run out the

line through town yesterday. There are some who will not be convinced that the line will come until they see the cars moving.

The quarterly meeting of the Washington and Yamhill counties conference will be held at the A. C. church in this city Saturday and Sunday, January 7th, and 8th 1905. All are invited.

Beaverton Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hedge have just returned from a two months' visit with relatives in the East.

Mr. Morse Gilmer is visiting with his mother during the week.

The Adam Sisters gave an entertainment at the M. E. church which was highly appreciated by all present.

The Beaverton Literary society is running in good order with a big debate for Saturday night December 31. All come out and have a good time.

Choir practice at the Congregational church every Wednesday evening. Mrs. Church as leader has been making a big improvement in the singing of the choir, and we wish her further success for the ensuing year.

The boys are talking about organizing a band here in the near future, which would be a grand undertaking. Every small town should have a band. We have five band players to begin with, and there is no doubt but what we have the material. "The more music we have, the better."

Edgar Summers is building a new addition to his house, which when completed, will give it the appearance of a neat little cottage.

Frank Allen made a trip to Newberg last week, visiting friends.

The new butcher shop has put in a steam engine to run the sausage mill, which will now save much work.

LeDue is going to start up a shoe-maker and harness shop near the depot, in the near future.

The holidays are here and all are happy.

Skookumville.

Regular Correspondent.

Mr. John McLeod, of Gaston, has bought the J. W. Barnes' place and moved down last week.

L. Barnes is building a new addition to his house.

The boys are going to have some fun at the shooting match Saturday December 31, at Mr. Howell's place. No one got any chipmunks last time.

School has closed for one week's vacation.

Mr. Briggs has been the guest of Mr. Ernest Barnes during the last week.

The Christmas entertainment given by the school, on Christmas Eve was a big success, and was greeted by a large audience. All enjoyed the merriment and Old Santa arrived with presents for all the little ones.

From Cornelius.

Regular Correspondent.

Didn't we tell you so!

To look out for the cars!

They are coming.

Preliminary survey already made.

Franchise through Cornelius granted.

Right of way nearly all procured.

Everything looks all right.

It must be right.

Have not seen the S. P. Motor cars, have you.

There will be something more doing in Cornelius soon.

Bob Cornelius is up from Astoria for a few days.

The Football team of Cornelius seem to have cold feet.

L. G. Weidewitz is fitting up the old Foster store for a meat market.

A. S. Hatch is rapidly finishing his new blacksmith shop.

Tom Tomelin of Olympia, Wash., is visiting his friend E. Wilkins in Cornelius.

R. W. McNutt was doing business in Portland Wednesday.

J. C. Buchanan has been on the sick list for a few days.

Thomas Whitehorn has returned to Corvallis.

W. Scholfeld and family of Astoria are visiting relatives in Cornelius.

Ernest Kramer has invested in Gaston real estate.

McGinnis will continue in his present quarters until further notice.

The Christmas entertainments at both churches were entire successes.

Mr. and Mrs. Patton visited Portland last week.

The terrible scrap Xmas Eve resulted in no serious injury to anyone.

The K. of P. Lodge will give an entertainment New Years Eve, at their hall over the drug store.

The shooting match last Saturday night has been prolonged if the supply of clay birds and ammunition had not given out.

W. A. Goodin of Astoria was in Cornelius last week.

Bob Allen has gone to Polk county to spend the winter.

A. A. Phillips and wife spent Sunday and Monday in Portland.

Charley Wilkins has not gone to Southern Oregon.

Ben Hay was up from Astoria Tuesday.

R. W. Crane was in Cornelius the first of this week.

Beaverton.

The Masons of Beaverton had a public installation of officers Tuesday 27th, at Beaverton hall. A lunch was served.

The public Xmas tree and the excellent programme was attended by hundreds at the Beaverton hall Saturday night. The affair was a grand success.

The wand drill, and the boys athletic work was a credit to all who took part.

Prof. E. S. Evenden is visiting his home in McMinnville this week.

Jewelry at cut prices for a short time at the Beaverton Drug Store.

Mr. D. M. Woodside is visiting friends in Portland this week.

Oro, Trout and family of Portland were in town visiting relatives.

Floyd Allen, who has been quite ill for some time past is slowly improving.

Mr. Bremmers little babe is quite ill with lung trouble, following a bad cold which the little one had.

Mrs. Grow, of Farmington, and her daughter Mrs. Bens, and family of Portland spent Christmas day at Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Squire.

Goes Crazy in a Car.

Oregon City, Or., Dec. 26.—Leaping from his seat in an electric car while between Oregon City and Milwaukie this afternoon, Wesley M. Emmel showed the other passengers that he had become violently insane. For the next few minutes the interior of the car was the scene of a lively turmoil, with Emmel as the storm-center. He shouted and screamed until the women passengers were frantic. He hurled aside the first man who attempted to restrain him and attacked another with his clenched fists.

Emmel moved about the car with such rapidity that he was able to dodge the men who were trying to capture him before he did serious injury to himself and others. Much of Emmel's ravings seemed to be inspired by religious frenzy. Since then it has been learned that religious excitement and constant brooding were the causes of his mental derangement.

After an exciting fight of several minutes Emmel was overpowered and thrown to the floor of the car. It required six men to keep him in subjection until the car reached Oregon City and the insane man could be turned over to the authorities. He will probably be soon committed to the asylum.

Nan Patterson, the former actress, accused of the murder of Caesar Young, passed a gloomy Christmas in the Tombs. She had anticipated celebrating her release from imprisonment with her family in Washington, and the fact that she will probably have to undergo another trial made this Christmas the saddest of her life.

Miss Patterson was sent an elaborate dinner by one of her council, but ate little and wept continuously. She was somewhat composed later in the day by a long letter from her mother.

Geo. McMillan in Tuesday's Oregonian says of the foot-ball game between the O. A. C. and Multnomah clubs: "In one of the hardest, cleanest and best foot-ball games ever played on the Multnomah field, the Oregon Athletic Club team lost to the club boys by the close margin of one point. Two touch-downs were scored by each team, O. A. C. getting both scores in the first half and M. A. A. C. in the second half. Had O. A. C. kicked either of the goals the score would stand even. It is really to bad the college boys lost such a brilliant game because they were not able to kick a goal. Both were easy trials, and there was hardly any good excuse for O. A. C.'s poor showing in this department of the game.

The game opened by the club kicking to O. A. C. The ball was secured by Root on O. A. C.'s 15-yard line, and he carried it back 15 yards before being downed. Right here Root gave evidence that he was to be a strong factor in the game. O. A. C. kept the ball from the start until the first touchdown had been scored. In about 15 minutes of actual play the collegians had carried the ball across Multnomah's goal line, a distance of 95 yards. It took just 24 plays to do this, a feat never before accomplished against the club team. Root and Abrahams were the greatest ground-gainers for their team on this trip to the club goal, but Quarterback Rinehart had displayed rare judgment in giving the plays. The Corvallis boys scored their second touch-down by a fumble on Murphy's part. He was tackled hard and dropped the ball. Abrahams secured it and ran 15 yards for a touch-down. All through the remainder of the half O. A. C. out played the club team.

In the second half Murphy made some changes in his team and adopted an entirely new system of attack. He secured his first score

by using tackle runs. Stow and Pratt were given the ball for big gains. By this means he made the O. A. C. line play wider. The second score was made by using Dolph, Longan and Horan. The work of these three backs was as good in the second half as that of the O. A. C. backs in the first half. It was really a great game. The club was not so weak in the first half, but O. A. C. was very strong, and opened the game with such a rush that Multnomah was completely surprised."

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon for Washington County, his final account as executor of the last will and testament of Samuel Seigenhalter, deceased, that said Court, by a order dated the 27th day of December, 1904, has designated and appointed Monday, the 30th day of January, 1905, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day as the time, and the Court House in Hillsboro, Washington County, Oregon, as the place for hearing of objections to said final account and final settlement of said Estate.

Dated this December 27, 1904.

ALFRED GUERBER, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Samuel Seigenhalter, deceased.

E. B. TONGUE, Attorney for Executor.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY.

Jessie Alexander, Plaintiff,

Edith Monroe, Jackson Monroe, John J. Morgan, Wash. County, J. E. May, Zora Snow, S. B. Huston, and E. B. Tongue, as administrators of the Estate of Thomas H. Tongue, Defendants.

To Edith Monroe, Jackson Monroe and J. K. May, of defendants above named.

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause and court, on or before the 10th day of February, 1905, and if you fail to so appear or answer, plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in her complaint, to-wit:

For judgment for the sum of \$64, principal, with interest from the 1st day of November, 1902, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, and the further sum of \$75.00 as attorneys' fees and for costs in said suit, and for the usual decree and order of Court for the foreclosure of the mortgage set forth in said complaint and sale of the mortgaged premises, described as follows, to-wit:

That piece, parcel or tract of land lying, being and situate in Washington County, Oregon, Commencing at the southwest corner of the Donation Land Claim of B. B. Disman, in section thirty-one, township one north, range one west of the Willamette Meridian, and running thence north one hundred and forty rods, thence east ninety-one and five-fourths rods; thence south one hundred and forty rods; thence west ninety-one and five-fourths rods, to the place of beginning, except one acre in the northwest corner for school grounds, containing seventy-nine acres; according to law and the practice of this Court, and that the proceeds of said sale be applied to the payment of the expenses of said sale, the costs of Court and the amount found due plaintiff, the said defendants and all persons claiming by, through or under them, subsequent to the execution of said mortgage, either as purchasers, transferees or otherwise, be barred and foreclosed of all right, claim or equity of redemption in said land, and all persons claiming by, through or under them, have such further and other relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable.

This summons is published in The Hillsboro Independent, by order of Hon. Thomas A. McBride, Judge of the above entitled Court, duly made and entered on the 30th day of December, 1904.

Dated, December 23, 1904.

CAPLES & ALLEN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, duly appointed administrator of the estate of