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BY D. W. BATH

A fire of unknown origin occured in the F. E. Beach paint store, First and Alder streets, Portland, at noon Wednesday, causing a loss of $10,000. Several persons narrowly escaped death in the flames.

The president said to the people of Frederick, Oklahoma, "I like my job." That is about as democratic as anything ever attributed to Thomas Jefferson.

Samuel E. Eliot, of Portland, won the Rhodes scholarship from Missouri and he will commence his studies there in October. He is a son of Dr. T. L. Eliot, and is one of the class of 1900 of the Portland Academy. An annual allowance of $1,500 goes with the scholarship.

When the American Board of Congretional Foreigns Missions decided to accept the $100,000 contribution of Mr. Rockefeller, of Standard Oil Notoriety, one indignant member of the board arose and said the initials of the organization should be translated "Any Boodler Can Finance Me."

Mabel Bannon, a 6-year-old daughter of J. R. Bannon, a plasterer fell from a trestle spanning Marquam Gulch in South Portland Wednesday afternoon and struck on her head on cement and stones on the bottom, sixty-five feet below. Her skull was crushed and death resulted almost instantly. The child, with her sister 4 years of age, was walking on the Southern Pacific track, which runs across the gulch, when she fell headlong to her death.

Omaha dispatches bring the news that a speed of forty miles an hour is easily attained and maintained by the new gasoline motor car which is to be used on the Southern Pacific Company's West Side line out of Portland. On this car the trip from Portland to McMinnville may be made in an hour and a quarter, It is not so long ago—or at least the time is still easily recalled by persons yet comparatively young—that to make the forty-five miles trip by rail from Portland to "St. Joe," then the terminus of the West Side line, required the greater part of a day.—Telegram.

Governor Mead of Washington has decided to declare June 1 a public holiday in that state in honor of the opening of the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland. The proclamation was requested by President J. H. Goode, of the exposition. Governor Mead has been an enthusiastic and consistent friend of the exposition, and is glad to take this means of assisting in what is to prove a great benefit to Washington as well as to Oregon. The law allows the governor to designate any day a public holiday. The formal proclamation will be issued soon.

Japan is contemplating declaring war on France and calling on Great Britain for support. This action follows the sending of a formal protest to France against the use of the Baltic fleet of Kamranh Bay as a rendezvous and the coupling therewith of a statement that if France refrained from acting Japan will send a fleet of war vessels to attack the Russians in the shelter of neutral ports.

School Notes.

On account of failing eye sight, Mabel Bennett of the Fifth grade is remaining at home.

New pupils enrolled are Albert Raymond, Third grade Fred and Will Raymond, Second grade.

Roy Holman of the Seventh grade has gone for employment elsewhere.

The Eighth B. planted class trees, a cedar and a fir.

The Sixth grade set out a soft-shell almond tree and named it Abraham Lincoln.

Hotel Tualatin Arrivals.

George P. Storey, San Francisco.
C. P Ford, San Francisco.
T. P. Howard and wife, Chicago.
Jones Hock, Portland.
R. McAlpin, Portland.
Louis Brand, Portland.
A. C. Thurber, McMinnville.
C. H. Collyer, Portland.
E. Meyer, Portland.
J. M. O'Connor, Portland.
E. M. Rosenthal, Portland.
O. Johnson, Middleton.
H. E. Sheckel, Eugene.
J. W. Simmons, Portland.
M. H. Hendricks, Tacoma.
Ben Mitchell, Portland.
John C. Conrad, Portland.
Del. C. Bogart, Portland.
W. M. McCleary, Omaha.
W. O. Packeard, Portland.
O. A. Windfelder, Portland.
T. D. Hughes, Portland.
E. J. Wood, Portland.
A. Helmung, Portland.
U. S. Martin, Cleone
G. A. Bruce and wife, Portland.
S. C. Tucker, Portland.
J. M. Rodgers, Portland.
F. W. Rodgers, Portland.
W. J. Forester, Portland.
Fred Field, Portland.
G. C. Miller, Portland.
J. W. Beddo, Los Angeles.
J. M. Nicols, Los. Angeles.
W. O. McIndoo, Los Angeles.
T. J. Pallauch, Minneapolis.
R. S. Eppley, Portland.
Chas. D. White, Portland,
E. J. Warnock, Portland.
T. H. Irwin, Salem.
Mrs. L. B. N. Pond and son, Portland.
J. L. Howard, Portland.
J. I. Kirshberg, San Francisco.
J. R. Bailey, Buxton.
A. Wanosse, Portland.
J. M. Dickson, San Francisco.
W. Bender, Portland.
G. R. Bentley, Portland.

Knocks Out Telephone Lines.

McMinnville, Ore., April 19.—During last night's thunder storm a charge of electricity followed a telephone wire into the central office just as Miss Georgia Morgan was connecting two lines. The shock was heavy enough to stun the young woman.

Every long-distance line that runs north and south of this place was rendered useless by the lightning and many of the local lines are out.

Plans for a new church for the Bethany German Presbyterian church have been adopted by the session, and the contract will be let as soon as possible. The cost of the structure, with the furniture, will be about $3500. The building committee has $2500 now on hand. It is expected that the women of the church will provide the furniture. Rev. William E. Laube is the pastor. He took up the work with Bethany German Presbyterian church about four years ago, and it has advanced rapidly. The membership is now 90, having been reduced somewhat by losses to the Second Presbyterian church, recently organized on the East Side, Portland.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Michel Markey to Alexander Christie 6½ acres sec 1 T 1 S R 1 W	$1 00
A P Norterup to F A Northrup N W ¼ of the N W ¼ sec 29 T 2 N R 2 W of W M	300 00
Edwin S Sparks et al to Ella A Hanna part of block 9 Forest Grove	154 00
Susan B Keen et al to Barbara Wiegand 17 ½ acres near Cedar Mills	1750 00
F M Miller et ux to A V Bergen part of sec 24 T 1 S R 1 W W M	500 00
W J Van Schuyver & Co to Lafayette Bacon N W ¼ sec 18 T 3 N R 3 W	720 00
Chas E Raymond et ux to A Stream et al 40 62-100 acres in Zackary D L C	3500 00
T W Hinton et ux to Myra E Greer, tract in M Moore D L C in Hillsboro	600 00
S T Walker et ux to F W Reils 4 59-100 acres of Walker D L C	459 00
W B Carter et ux to Wm Hoehne 3.75 acres in Walker D L C.	1000 00
L C Walker et ux to Emilie Hoehne, tract in Walkers Add Forest Grove	100 00
W F Willis et ux to L Bacon 40 acres sec 18 T 3 N 3 W	200 00
E T Hansen et ux to J W Haines et al 50-33 acres in H Noland D L C	3500 00
J J Hartley to E B Turner 3. 1-32 acres near banks, Oregon	850 00

The Royal Soda Crackers at Messinger's. Something new.

White Plymouth Rock eggs for sale, 50 cents for setting of fifteen.
Mrs. L. W. House.

Portland is now officially recognized as the leading wheat exporting city of the United States; in fact, the wheat export trade of the United States is this season confined almost exclusively to the ports of the Pacific Coast. The department of Commerce and Labor, through its bureau of statistics, accords first place to Portland, on the basis of exports made during the nine months ending with March, 1905. San Francisco ranks second, and Puget Sound third. The Atlantic Coast and Gulf of Mexico have lost their entire wheat trade.

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, his final account as executor of the last will and testament of Enos Davis, deceased and the same has been set for final hearing and settlement before said court on Monday May 15th, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day.

Dated this April 13, 1905.

J. C. COREY,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Enos Davis, deceased.
BENTON, BOWMAN, Attorney for Estate.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been, by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon appointed administrator of the Estate of Ferdinand Mallitz, deceased, and has duly qualified as such. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present them to me, with proper vouchers, at the law office of Benton Bowman in Hillsboro, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

Dated this April 4, 1905.

W. C. KEEHN,
Administrator of the Estate of Ferdinand Mallitz, deceased.
BENTON BOWMAN, Attorney for Estate.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given, that I the undersigned have filed in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County, my Final Account, as Executor of the estate of John Berger, deceased and said Court has set Monday, May 8, 1905, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock a. m. of said day as the time, and the County Court Room in Hillsboro, Oregon, as the place for hearing objections to said account and the Final Settlement of said estate.

Dated April 6, 1905.

FRED BERGER,
Executor of the Estate of John Berger, deceased.
W. N. BARRETT, Attorney for Estate

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County made in the matter of the estate of Sirwell N. Fuller, deceased, on March 13, 1905, I the undersigned, will from and after Monday the First day of May, 1905, sell at private sale, to the highest bidder therefor, for cash in hand on day of sale, the following described real estate, situate in Washington County, State of Oregon:

Being parts of section Nine (9) and Sixteen (16) in T. 1 S. R. 1 W. Will. Mer., and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the south boundary of the George W. Elliott Donation Land Claim in said section 9, distant north 69 deg. west 32.11 chains from the southeast corner of said George W. Elliott claim, running thence south 24.03 chains to the center of the O. & C. R. R. track, thence north 81 deg. 30' west, 2.07½ chains to a point in said center line distant sohth 8½ deg. east, 12.32 chains from where said center line crosses the west boundary of the above named section 16, thence north 24.32 chains to a post on the south boundary of said George W. Elliott claim; thence south 69 deg. east, 2.19 chains to the place of beginning, containing Five (5) acres.

Also the following described tract: Being parts of section Nine (9) & Sixteen (16) in T. 1 S. R. 1 W. Will. Mer., and bounded by beginning at a point on the southwest corner of W. O. Hocken land, 30 feet from the center of the O. & C. R. R. track, thence 31 feet east parallel with said railroad track, thence north 22.23 chains to the G. W. Elliott Donation Claim line, thence west 31 feet to the northeast corner of the first tract above described, thence south 22.23 chains to the place of beginning, containing one (1) acre, (more or less.)

Bids will be received by me at me at my residence in Beaverton, Oregon, or at the Law Office of W. N. Barrett, in Hillsboro, Oregon. Said sale will be subject to confirmation by said Court.

Dated March 29, 1905.

WM. E. FULLER,
Administrator of the Estate of Sirwell N. Fuller, deceased.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington.

L. A. McNARY, Plaintiff.
vs.
GOLDEN WILLIAMS, and HELEN WILLIAMS, his wife, P. H. MARLEY, H. M. RUDE, J. B. WILKES and WASHINGTON COUNTY, a body politic, Defendants.

By virtue of an Execution, Judgment and order of sale, decree duly issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Washington Couny in the above entitled cause, to me duly directed dated the 24th day of March 1905, upon a judgment rendered and entered in the said Court on the 20th day of March 1905, in favor of L. A. McNary, plaintiff and against Golden Williams and Helen Williams, his wife, defendants for the sum of $2200.00 with interest thereon from the 20th day of March 1905, at ten per cent per annum, and the further sum of $200.00, attorney's fees, and the further sum of $28.50, costs and disbursements, and also the costs of and upon said writ, commanding me and requiring me to make sale of all the right title and interest of the above named defendants and each of them in and to the following described real property, to-wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Washington, State of Oregon, and described as follows, to-wit: The southeast quarter of section seven (7) in township two (2) north of range two (2) west Willamette Meridian.

Now, therefore, by virtue of said Execution, Judgment, Order and Decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I have levied upon, and will, on the Monday, the 1st day of May, 1905, at the hour of ten o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Hillsboro, said County and State, sell at public auction, subject to redemption, to the highest bidder, for United States gold coin, cash in hand, all the right, title and interest which the above named Defendant, or either of them, had on the date of the mortgage to Plaintiff herein, namely, the 28th day of November 1892, or since had in and to the above described real property to satisfy said Execution, Judgment, Order and Decree, interest and cost and all accruing costs.

Hillsboro, Oregon, March 24th, 1905.

J. W. CONNELL,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of Louis Borchers, deceased, has filed in the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, his final account in said estate and the same has been set for hearing before said court on Monday, April 17, 1905, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Dated this March 16, 1905.

FRED MELZER,
Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Louis Borchers, deceased.
S. B. HUSTON, Attorney for Estate.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County.
In the Matter of the Estate of Nancy B. McNamer, deceased.
To Theodore McNamer, Mrs. Lula Monkers, Mrs. Josie Ritchey, Mrs. Nettie Bellinger, Mrs. Alice Parsons, Mrs. Donfa Goodin, Mrs. Blanche Moore and C. W. McNamer, and all persons interested in said Estate, Greeting:
In the Name of the State of Oregon,—

You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington at the Court Room thereof, at Hillsboro in the County of Washington on Monday, the first day of May, 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order of said Court should not be made authorizing and directing the Administrator of said estate, to sell the real property belonging to said estate, within Washington County Oregon, and described as follows to-wit:—

Beginning at the southeast corner of lot numbered 1, in block numbered 28, in the City of Forest Grove, as designated, numbered and marked on the recorded plat of said City of Forest Grove, and running thence north on the east line of said lot, 195 feet; thence west 50 feet; thence south 195 feet; thence east 50 feet to the place of beginning, and as prayed for in said petition.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Rood, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington with the Seal of said Court affixed this 22nd, day of March, A. D. 1905.

(Seal) L. A. ROOD, County Judge.
Attest; E. J. GODMAN, Clerk.
E. B. TONGUE, Attorney.

ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

The undesigned has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Henry Hass, deceased by the County Court of Washington County, Oregon, and has qualified. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same to me at Sherwood, Oregon, with proper vouchers and duly verified within six months from the date hereof.

Dated and first published March 24, 1905.

AUGUSTE HASS,
Administratrix.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, in and for Washington County.

T. H. SMITH, Plaintiff,
vs.
H. J. MAGEE, ELLEN MAGEE, his wife, and OLIVER NEWTON, Defendants.

By virtue of an execution, order and decree issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause to me directed and dated the 23rd day of March, 1905, under a decree rendered and entered on the 22nd day of March, 1905, in favor of the plaintiff T. H. Smith and against the defendants H. J. Magee, Helen Magee his wife for the sum of $300.00 with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from the 1st day of December, 1897, and for the further sum of $50.00 on account of the payment of taxes by plaintiff levied and imposed upon the land described in said decree, and for the further sum of $50.00 attorneys fees, and of the costs of said suit taxed at $39.30 and of the costs of and upon this writ commanding me to make sale thereunder of the following described real property situated in the County of Washington, State of Oregon. Beginning at the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 30, township 1 south range 1 west of Willamette Meridian, thence west 20.85 chains, thence north 38 rods, thence east 20.85 chain, thence south 38 rods to the place of beginning containing twenty acres more or less.

Now therefore by virtue of said execution, order and decree, and in compliance with the commands of said writ, I will on Monday the 24th day of April 1905, at 10 o'clock A. M. at the front door of the county court house in Hillsboro, Washington County, State of Oregon, sell at public auction (subject to redemption) to the highest bidder for cash in hand, all the right title and interest which the within named defendents or either of them have or had to the above described real property or any part thereof, to satisfy said order, decree, interests costs and accruing costs.

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J. W. CONNELL,
Sheriff of Washington County, Oregon.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County.
In the Matter of the Estate of George Morphew, deceased.
To Jane Morphew, Jane Morphew Jr., and Mary Ann Morphew and to all persons interested in this estate, Greeting:

In the Name of the State of Oregon—You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington at the Court Room thereof, at Hillsboro in the County of Washington on Friday, the 28th day of April 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order of said Court should not be made authorizing and directing the Executor of Said Estate to sell the real property belonging to said estate at public or private sale, said real property being described as follows, to-wit:

Lying, being and situate within Washington County, Oregon, and being known and designated and described as the south-west quarter of section 25, Township 1 North Range 5, West, Willamette Meridan, containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Rood, judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington with the seal of said Court affixed, this 9th day of March A. D., 1905.

(Seal) L. A. ROOD, County Judge.
Attest: E. J. GODMAN, Clerk.
E. B. TONGUE, Attorney.

CITATION.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for Washington County.
In the Matter of the Guardianship of Everett Dillaboy and Louis Dillaboy, minors.
To E. A. Dillaboy, guardian of the person and estate of Everett Dillaboy and Louis Dillaboy, minors, and all persons concerned in said estate, Greeting:

In the Name of the State of Oregon,—You are hereby cited and required to appear in the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Washington at the Court Room thereof, at Hillsboro in the County of Washington on Friday, the 21st, day of April 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, then and there to show cause, if any you have, why an order of said Court should not be made authorizing and directing the said E. A. Dillaboy, guardian, of the person and estate of Everett Dillaboy and Louis Dillaboy, minors, to sell the real estate situated in Washington County, Oregon, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Part of the South-west quarter of the North west quarter of Section twenty-five (25) Township (1) South of Range Two (2) West Will. Mer. and bounded by beginning 5.09 chs. North from the quarter section corner between sections 25 and 26 T. 1. S. R. 2 W. Will. Mer. and running thence North on section line 14.25 chs. thence south 87°08' E. East in the center of the County Road 8.37 chains, thence North 88°10' East 5.89 chs. thence South 14.02 chs. thence West 14.26 chs. to the place of beginning, containing 19.94 acres.

Witness, the Hon. L. A. Rood, Judge of the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of washington with the Seal of said Court affixed this 16th, day of March A. D. 1905.

(Seal) L. A. ROOD, County Judge.
Attest: E. J. GODMAN, Clerk.

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