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What has become of that ground hog?

If the Normal School Commission has gone ahead and contracted indebtedness in clear violation of law, which appears to be the case, let the individual members of the Commission make it good.

The counties of Grant, Howard, Davies, Adams and Newton in Indiana were voted dry in a local option contest held this week, putting 143 booze shops out of business. And the good work goes on.

The county court has made a levy of twelve and a half mills for state and county expenses and five mills for road purposes, making a total of seventeen and a half mills. This with the levy for school and for city, if you live in town, comprises the budget and you may as well prepare to dig up. Like going to the dentist, we will all feel better when it is over.

Charles V. Galloway has been appointed one of the new tax commissioners at a salary of \$2500 a year. The Galloways are products of Yamhill and although they belong to the minority party they are always able to land the fattest jobs that are on the calendar. A happy response to rich soil, a salubrious climate and the glad hand. Nothing like it in all Oregon.

Some business men who are very anxious to have the home paper blow up the people who send away to the mail order houses for goods, don't hesitate to send to far away Washington, D. C. for government envelopes, since they can get them for less money than the home shop can turn them out and make any profit. Of course it all depends on the point of view.

Should the government announce that Uncle Sam was going to put in a big department store at Washington and cut prices on all kinds of goods, or that a big flouring mill was to be erected and flour sold to the people at cost, there would at once go up a howl all over the country about the government entering into competition with the people in business, and the officials back of the scheme would be denounced in such terms that they would reconsider at once, and yet the post office department not only prints and sends out stamped envelopes at a merely nominal price, but solicits business by sending out circulars bidding for business, thus entering into competition with every printing establishment in the country. This is a rank injustice to men who are engaged in a legitimate business. If the government is going to furnish the people with stationery at cost why should it not furnish calico and every other commodity at the same rate? In other words why should the printer who has invested his money in a printing plant be discriminated against by the government?

Waiting for the Resurrection.

Within the past few months the editor of the Graphic has been asked many times what has become of the Oregon Editorial Association, by the newspaper men of the valley, but we have been unable to give any information on the subject as we have not had any communication with the officers of the associ-

ation. The following comments on the subject, made by The Western Oregon, have been read with interest and we pass them on for the benefit of other members of the association:

Died, some time between January 15, 1908 and January 1st, 1909, a body known as the Oregon Editorial Association. Just when the corpse was buried or where it is laid away is not known for certain, but it is believed that it is resting calmly and sweetly in a pigeon-hole in the office of the Astorian, published in the great fish town of Astoria. What caused its death is well known, however, and can be attributed to cruel neglect, abandonment and the lack of the ordinary care rightly due to a body of that kind. But it is dead; deader than a door nail, and if its memory is not sacred, it certainly ought to be. At the last meeting of the association in Portland in January 1908, nearly 200 newspaper men were in attendance. The organization seemed to have put on new life and showed every prospect of being strong and vigorous for the future. Its officers during all of the year 1908 had worked faithfully to make the association a success, and at the January meeting it was remarked that no such an enjoyable or useful gathering had assembled during the life of the organization. New life had been infused and the future seemed bright. New officers were elected, new and very much needed business mapped out, and incoming officers promising great things, but failed in everything. A midsummer meeting was called to meet at Portland, when a joint meeting was to be held with the brother association of Washington at Vancouver, but no notification of that meeting was officially announced and few if any members from Oregon attended. Much legislation was talked of and a legislative committee named to go to Salem during the 1908-9 session of the legislature and try to work through some very much needed measures, both to the publisher and the people generally, but that committee was very conspicuous by its absence. In fact no letters or announcements have been sent out to any member of the Oregon Editorial Association in regard to anything, from which it is inferred that organization is dead. Too dead to skin. News is coming in from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and other states of the winter meetings of the Publishers Associations of those states telling of the splendid meetings, the good that is being done, and the great pleasure the members are having. There is no reason why the Association of Oregon should not be among the number, but it is not, and who is to blame? Certainly not the members, for they were enthusiastic at the last meeting and placed a lot of officers in charge who were expected to do something.

And they have failed, utterly, willfully and shamefully.

Real Estate Transfers.

Reported by the Yamhill County Abstract Company, McMinnville.

Joseph Barbeau & wf to S V Allen 3.42 acres in J M Chapman d l c t 5 s r 6 w \$1.

L E Benedict & wf to James E Brown & wf 279.55 acres in Henry Cooper d l c t 2 s r 4 w \$11000.

Wm Burdett et al to Dwight C Miller lots 1 & 2 blk 33 Oak Park addition to McMinnville \$320.

Chas J Clemenson & wf to E L Evans & wf lot 5 blk 15 Central Park add to Newberg \$900.

Pleasant Cozine et al to J H Jewett lot 3 & 4 blk Willis add McMinnville \$1000.

S A Deskins to J D Gordon lots 6 7 8 9 10 blk 2 Deskins 2nd add Newberg \$1300.

M P Elliott & wf to A E Bowman 70.79 rods by 4 ft in W T Wallace d l c t 3 s r 2 w \$1.

F A Everest & wf to Ernest

Everest 10 acres in A G Phillips d l c \$400.

E V Ferguson & wf to Mary E Richardson 50x141 1/4 ft in Smith & Phillips add to Amity \$150.

Jno B Fletcher to W H Fletcher 156.97 acres in Reuben Harris d l c t 4 s r 4 w \$1.

W H Fletcher & wf to Marion A Palmer 156.97 acres in Reuben Harris d l c t 4 s r 4 w \$1.

J J Hagmann & wf to Edward J Kienle part blk 12 Everest add Newberg \$425.

Vern L Hamilton & wf to H T Miller 1/2 lot 1 & 2 blk 9 Fairview add Willamina \$100.

Jno W Hartman et al to Alfreda Dennis lots 5 6 7 blk 18 McMinnville \$2900.

Jasper C Hawn to John Noice part of Henry Bird d l c t 4 r 4 w \$1.

E U Henderson & wf to city of Sheridan 28x65 ft in blk 2 Scroggins add to Sheridan \$1.

Alex Hudson (by Sht) to J C Nichols 8 acres in sec 6 t 5 s r 4 w \$3.21.

Mary F Hurley to H A Cornell 69x158 ft west of blk 28 Hurley & Larges add to Newberg \$125.

Andrew Johnson & wf to L A Ostien & wf 158.37 acres in A C Smith d l c t 3 & 4 s r 4 w \$8000.

R O Jones & wf to Yamhill Valley Condensed Milk Co small tract of land in Jno Watt d l c t 5 s r 4 w \$50.

C T Long & wf to J M Harrington lots 5 & 6 blk 42 Oak Park add McMinnville \$160.

J E Mellinger & wf to Bank of Dayton part lot 144 Dayton \$1000.

C M Neeley & wf to S V Allen & wf 4.43 acres in J M Chapman d l c \$1.

Samuel Osborne & wf to Leonard Tharp lot 1 blk 6 Kershaws add Willamina \$700.

Marion A Palmer to W H Fletcher 156.97 acres in R Harris d l c t 4 s r 4 w \$1.

Alice E Foe & wf to Josephine Cornell & wf 50x200 ft in s 1/2 of J H Hess d l c t 3 s r 2 w \$100.

R A Stewart Sr to Joseph Kliendinst 97x40 ft in lot 3 blk 3 Willamina \$175.

Thumberg Ered A & wf to F A Elliott 56 acres in David Ramsey d l c t 3 s r 2 & 3 w \$4950.

Simeon T Thronton to Loren Seward 1/2 of sw 1/4 sec 24 t 4 s r 6 w \$1.

Vincent Mary D & wf to Andrew Armstrong lots 1 2 3 blk 13 Deakins 2nd add to Newberg \$1400.

A L Ford Warren & wf to J M Harrington lots 7 & 8 blk 42 lots 7 & 8 blk 46 lots 5 & 6 blk 40 Oak Park add McMinnville \$500.

A Little More "Thugar."

"Charlie, what makes you so sweet?" asked a mother of her little son.

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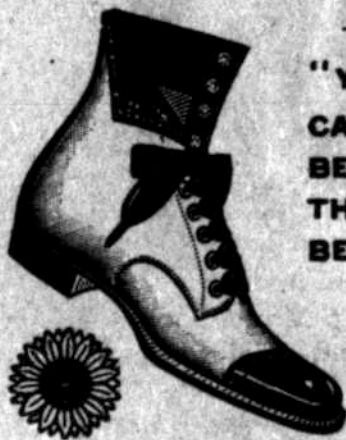
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Administrators Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned administrator of the estate of Hans Christensen deceased, has filed his final account as said administrator of said estate in the County Court of Yamhill County, Oregon, and that said Court has appointed Monday, March 8th, 1908, at the hour of ten o'clock, A. M. as the day and hour for hearing objections to said final account and the settlement thereof.

Now, therefore all persons interested in said estate are hereby notified to appear at the County Court room at McMinnville said county and state, at said time, to then and there show cause, if any there be, why said account should not be settled, allowed and approved, and said administrator discharged and said estate forever and finally settled. - G. C. CHRISTENSEN, Administrator with the will of Hans Christensen, deceased.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John W. Forsyth, deceased, by the County Court of Yamhill County, Oregon. Now, therefore, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified and required to present the same with proper vouchers to the undersigned at the Bank of Newberg, at Newberg, Yamhill County, Oregon, within six months from date hereof.

Dated January 21, 1908. J. C. COLCORN, Administrator of the estate of John W. Forsyth, deceased.

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