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Executrix Notice

To All Whom It May Concern: Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that from and after the 16th day of May, 1910, I, as the executrix of the estate of B. F. McDonald, deceased, shall, in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Linn County, Oregon, proceed to sell at private sale for cash in hand at said sale all the right, title and estate which said deceased had in and to the following described real property at the time of his death, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 26.67 chains West of the Southeast corner of the William Gilchrist D. L. C. Not. No. 5754, Claim No. 43 in Townships 9 and 10, South Range one East of the Willamette Meridian in Linn County, Oregon, and running thence South 89 degrees West 18.33 chains, thence North 10 chains, thence South 89 degrees West 23.85 chains, thence North 15 degrees and forty minutes East 10.24 chains, thence North 89 degrees and 30 minutes East 42 chains, more or less, to a point North of the place of beginning and 34.35 chains distant from said place of beginning and on the East line of the lands belonging to the said estate of said B. F. McDonald, deceased, in said D. L. C. and thence South 34.35 chains on said East boundary line to the said place of beginning, and containing 90 acres, more or less.

The estate and interest which said deceased had in and to said premises at the time of his death being a fee simple estate.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1910.

ALICE McDONALD
Executrix of

B. F. McDonald, deceased

Something over one year ago, the K. of P., of this city, purchased the property on the northeast corner of Main and Water streets paying \$600 therefor. This week that order sold the property to N. I. Morrison for \$1200.

Last Sunday's Ball Game

When the bills were up announcing a ball game (the second) between Stayton and Scio teams, the public expected to see a closely contested game. But Such was not the case. Until the fourth inning the contest had the appearance of being a close game, as each team had two scores to its credit. Stayton was first at bat and when retired in the fourth, had annexed two more runs, making the score 4 to 2 in Stayton's favor. Whether this led made the visitors careless, or whether the time had come for the team to go to pieces, this waiter cannot say. But after two or three errors had been made, the Marion county ball tossers seemed to go wrong on the part of every player; for when Scio retired she had scored 11 runs and had the game cinched beyond recovery.

Stayton placed a new pitcher in the box in the fifth and as Scio failed to secure another tally in the game, we suppose his twisters were hard to negotiate.

Stayton scored in each of the 5th and 7th innings, which concluded the run getting for both teams. The score by innings was.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Stayton	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	0	0-6
Scio	0	2	0	11	0	0	0	0	0-13

Umpire Mike Mee called balls and strikes for the game in a very satisfactory manner for both teams, as his decisions were not called in question at any time in the game. The Stayton boys are a gentlemanly bunch and had they not blown up in the fourth, would have played Scio a close game and, possibly, might have won. At all events the game was very enjoyable to the lady fans, if one should judge by the noise they made. A good play, whether made by Stayton or Scio was applauded.

Special Sale of Vehicles

As we have purchased the lot and building which we are occupying and are going to repair and enlarge the building at once, we will sell buggies and hacks at the lowest prices at which they have ever been sold in Scio, the grade of goods considered. The sale to begin Saturday May 14 and will continue for ten days only. Notice the following sharp reduction:

\$112.50 Staver Runabout for \$102.50
\$97.50 Staver top buggy for \$87.50
\$70.00 Staver top buggy for \$64.00
\$95.00 half platform S. hack for \$84.00

Other rigs in proportion to the above prices. Remember, sales at these prices will continue but ten days, beginning with May 14.

MORRISON & NEAL

The Railroad Prospects

The railroad committee, Messrs Peerv, Prill and Wesely returned from their interview with Manager O'Brien, of the S. P., Tuesday morning.

While they were unable to arrange just such traffic agreements with Mr. O'Brien, as they had marked out, they receive promises from the S. P. as to operation of daily trains, etc., which would be an immense improvement over the present.

One matter was made plain, and that is, we are not to receive any assistance from Albany, except in the way of hot air, an article with which the county seat seems to have an overplus. The Commercial club is willing to receive any benefit which may accrue to Albany from building the road but, when it comes to aiding in the enterprise in the matter of putting up cash, they have given us an emphatic NO.

The News is informed that it was the recipient of quite a good sized roast at the city council meeting, last week, because of an overcharge for an advertising bill. Apparently the council thinks it is the duty of the News to do the city advertising for nothing. But as the News pays its city taxes, light and water bills, and does more than its share of free advertising for the town, there is no reason why the city should be favored in advertising charges, any more than any of our merchants. The charges to the city were just the same as to merchants or other advertisers, 5 cents per line per issue.

GREAT NORTHERN

IS GETTING BUSY

Is Advertising Extensively Throughout the Eastern States

The Oregon Trunk Railway is now building the Des Chutes Canyon into Central Oregon. When it reaches Bend, it will have tapped a region of more than twenty million acres of timber, farming and grazing lands that has hitherto been with Railway facilities.

I take pleasure in sending you, under separate cover, a copy of the Great Northern Railway's first publication exploiting the opportunities for the homeseeker and investor in this region, a pamphlet entitled "Opening up Central Oregon."

This is our opening gun in a campaign of publicity which we trust will within a short time populate the millions of acres of broad prairie land lying in Wasco, Crook, Lake and Klamath counties with the same virile and thinking type of farmer that is now transforming the prairies of Montana into farms of tremendous agricultural wealth producing power.

About 50,000 copies of this pamphlet have already been circulated. An additional edition of 25,000 will be received from the printer this week.

The Great Northern Railway has in preparation now a larger and more comprehensive booklet regarding Central Oregon which will be distributed throughout the East as soon as it can be taken from the press.

The distribution of booklets is but one of the means we will use to attract settlers into Central Oregon. Other methods which have been used to advantage in the East, such as the display of samples of agricultural products raised in Central Oregon contained in an exhibit car to tour the Eastern states, as well as permanent agricultural shows in some of the larger cities, will be used.

We anticipate that the settlement of Central Oregon will be comparatively rapid, and will be a repetition of the experience of the Great Northern Railway in populating the prairie land lying along its main line in Montana. For years the broad prairies stretching to the north and south of the Great Northern Railway in Montana were considered of practically no value for farming purposes. Today filings are being made on government homestead lands in the United States Land Offices at Great Falls and Glasgow, at the rate of about three thousand per month. 300 steam plowing outfits have been shipped into that region since January 1, 1910.

If this experience can be repeated in Central Oregon, it will be but a matter of two or three years before the vast stretches of untilled prairie land in Lake, Klamath and Crook counties will be converted into waving grain fields, and comfortable farm homes.

Fifteen years ago, the lands in the Big Bend country of Washington, along the main lines of the Great Northern Railway were in the same primitive condition in which much of the land in Central Oregon can now be found. Today, millions of bushels of wheat are shipped from this section. This can be repeated in Central Oregon, and we will do our utmost to bring about this much desired result.

Yours truly,
S. J. ELLISON.

The Hardest Game of the Season

As yet, Scio's ball team has not experienced a single defeat, this season. But after next Sunday and a visit from the Turner boys, a different story may have to be told.

From all accounts, Turner has a splendid amateur base ball team and, if our boys continue their winning streak, they will have to go some. At all events, the public is assured that a fine exhibition of the game will be given, whether Scio wins or loses. The game will be called promptly at 2:30 p. m.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Extra large sizes in ladies waists at Wesely and Cain, made up in the latest styles in sizes 42-44-46-48 and 50.

Raise fruit instead of bugs, worms and moss, by using Lilly's Best Tree Spray. At Wesely's Grocery.

John Wesely has signed a contract to play ball with the Albany League team.

Mrs. Emma Leslie, of Salem, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Morrow, of this city.

25 cent buys a nice large gingham apron, and 35 cents buys a fancy white one at Wesely & Cains.

Wm. Brenner is laying sewage pipes from his residence to the creek. He is putting in plumbing and bath in his residence, as well.

Lost—A black shepherd dog, two white points, white strip in face, yellow spots over eyes and tip to tail. Had a leather strap and small ring on neck and answers to the name "Paddle." He is a long rangy dog and the owner, V. Philippi, is anxious to recover him. Notify the NEWS office or owner.

FOR SALE—One span of geldings, weight about 1100 pounds each, 7 and 8 years old; 1 set of buggy harness; 1 set of hack harness; 1 buggy, good as new; hack; riding bridle and saddle; 1600 pound Fairbanks standard platform scales, in first class order, at Trotters' store, Stayton, Oregon.

From reports, our county court has appropriated \$6500 from the county general fund to assist in building an armory at Albany. As an armory is in no sense beneficial to any other portion of the county, the court should submit the appropriation to a referendum vote of the county. It is, practically, expending public funds for a private purpose.

Morrison & Neal will sell nails on Saturday, May 14 at the following reduced prices.

20 d and up, per keg \$3.10
10 d and up, per keg \$3.15
8 d and up, per keg \$3.20
6 d and up, per keg \$3.30
3 d and up, per keg \$3.55

Other sizes in like proportion. These prices are good for this day only. Make your purchase on this special sale day.

City Council

Council met in regular session, on Thursday evening of last week. Present were Mayor Myer, Recorder Myers and Councilmen J. A. and Perry Bilyeu, Cain, Arnold, Morrison and Calavan.

Committee on Fire, Light and Water granted further time to report on protection of water mains. Bills allowed; Fred B. West \$63.20; N. I. Morrison \$3.37; Santiam News \$3.10; Ralston Supply Co. \$49.47; Crane Co. \$9. General Electric Co. 72c.

Ordinance No. 56 relative to granting right-of-way over certain streets to S. L. & J. V. R. R. read and passed. Adjourned.

THE NEW FIRM

I, N. I. Morrison, have taken Mr. T. O. Neal as a partner in my hardware and implement store and the style of the new firm will hereafter be Morrison & Neal.

I thank you for your generous patronage in the past and solicit a continuance of your favors in the future.

I will still run the planing mills and will give you figures on your shop work which cannot be beaten anywhere in the valley. I have engaged Harry S. Johnston as shop foreman, but I will be there to help out on rush work. Anything you need to build with, such as lime, cement, sand, brick, etc., will be in stock. I will have a car of shingles, the last of this or the first of next week. Parties desiring shingles will do well if they get them at the car, thus saving the hauling. Leave your orders at once and I will notify you when the car arrives.

Yours for business,
N. I. MORRISON