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MEN'S SUITS.

\$4.95, \$7.45, \$9.75, \$12.50,
\$14.75, \$20.00 and \$25.00 SUIT
With a Saving to You of \$2 to \$5 a Suit

Men's \$9.75 TOPCOATS Look Like \$20.00 Up-Town Coats.

THE LEE The BEST \$3.00 Hat Made--NEW Shapes.

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Kodol DYSPEPSIA CURE

DIGESTS WHAT YOU EAT
The \$1.00 bottle contains 24 capsules, which will cure 24 days of indigestion.
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E. C. DeWITT & COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.
PERRY & GRAHAM, PORTLAND, ORE.

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ATTENTION.
The Imported Percheron Stallion

ALCAZAR No. 52,644

Will make the season beginning about April 10th, from
RAINIER to SCAPPOOSE.

GIRTY & ROBEY,

DEALERS IN

General Merchandise

GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED,
DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES
NOTIONS ETC.

TRY GOLD LEAF ROASTED COFFEES

PROMPT DELIVERY

WE SOLICIT A SHARE OF YOUR
PATRONAGE.

"A SQUARE DEAL" IS OUR
MOTTO.

HOULTON,

OREGON.

Trusts and "Business Interests"

HOW THEY WORK TO
DOMINATE POLITICAL AFFAIRS

If the primary law and Statement One thereof shall finally become established in Oregon, no one need imagine that it will put the special privilege class out of business. It will prove effective for that purpose only to the extent that the people may prove their intelligence and ability to use it. The agents of special privilege classes and looters of the public will pose as candidates for office, and will be backed by the money and influence of those interests in order to still hold their grip on the powers of government. At this time the tobacco trust, the sugar trust, with all other trusts, and the adulterated food manufacturers and vendors, are entrenched in the United States Senate. A pure food bill cannot pass the Senate.

No measure of relief for the people from the exactions of the tobacco from whiskey, sugar or any other trust is to be hoped for until such time as the people may own the Senate. Bearing the foregoing facts in mind, let us see if we can figure out what the following letter signifies:

Mason, Ehrman & Co., M. Ehrman & Co.
Portland, Ore. San Francisco, Cal.
Branch Cigar Department,
Seattle, Wash.

MASON, EHRMAN & CO.

Importers, Wholesale Grocers, Cigars
and Tobacco Dealers
Portland, Ore., March 8, 1906.

Dear Sir—We are much interested in the election of Mr. H. M. Case of Portland to the United States Senate. Mr. Case has never been in politics, and is a clean, able man, and has proved his fitness for the place by giving him your support you will confer a great favor upon us.

The business interests of Portland desire the election of Mr. Case and by giving him your support you will confer a great favor upon us.

Yours very truly,
MASON, EHRMAN & CO.,
Per E. F.

This is a copy of a circular letter being sent out by the firm of Mason Ehrman & Co., to their customers all over the State. The word comes up from the Valley and down from the mountains that a vendor of groceries and tobacco is in politics as well as business. It speaks for "the business interest of Portland" by whose authority? Can it be by authority of the tobacco trust, the sugar trust, the glucose trust, the beef trust, or all of them; or is it by authority of the Board of Trade?

Candidate for Republican Nomination
As State Treasurer.



JUDGE THEODORE RYAN OF OREGON CITY.

Born in Rhode Island 41 years ago, Judge Ryan came to Oregon in his 21st year and entered into the employ of the Brownsville Woolen Mills Co. at its factory in Brownsville. The following year he went to Oregon City where he has since resided. He has been elected as Mayor, City recorder and School Director and Clerk of Oregon City, and for the last seven years has been the County Judge of Clackamas County in which position he has proven himself to be an exceptional business man, paying off an indebtedness of over \$200,000 and at the same time constructing each year many miles of good improved modern roads.

If a Cow gave Butter

mankind would have to invent milk. Milk is Nature's emulsion—butter put in shape for digestion. Cod liver oil is extremely nourishing, but it has to be emulsified before we can digest it.

Scott's Emulsion

combines the best oil with the valuable hypophosphites so that it is easy to digest and does far more good than the oil alone could. That makes Scott's Emulsion the most strengthening, nourishing food-medicine in the world.

Send for free sample.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists
409-415 Pearl Street New York
50c. and \$1.00. All druggists

and decreasing the tax levy each year.

In an interview Judge Ryan says: "Being neither President, Cashier nor Stockholder in any Bank or Agent or Employee of any Money Lending Institution I pledge myself to use and guard the funds of the State in strict conformity to the laws of the State and for the interests of all the people and not discriminate in favor of any institution or person. As a man of the people, independent of any clique, faction or corporation, I request the support of all Republicans in securing this nomination, and if elected I promise to perform every duty required of the State Treasurer in an economical manner."

Notice.

Having filed my petition, with the required amount of signers, to have my name printed on the nominating ballot I hereby announce myself as Democratic candidate for nomination for County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Democratic voters at the primary election, April 20.

H. HENDERSON.

Notice.

Having filed my petition, with the required amount of signers, to have my name printed on the official nominating ballot, I hereby announce myself as Republican candidate for nomination for County Clerk, subject to the decision of the Republican voters at the primary election, April 20.

W. A. HARRIS.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Having filed my petition according to the Direct Primary law, I hereby announce myself as a Republican candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the voters at the primary election held, April 20, 1906.

J. G. WATTS,
Scappoose, Ore.

JAMES WITHEYCOMBE
of Corvallis

Republican candidate for Governor

An honest and fearless performance of public duty—a greater and united Oregon.

This is the season of listlessness, headaches and spring disorders. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a sure preventative. Makes you strong and vigorous, 35 cents, 10c or 5c. Ask your Druggist.

Estray Notice.

On March 19th 1906 I have taken up one last years heifer calf about six months old; color red, small white spots in flanks; no marks and no brands. Owner please call and pay charges and get the calf.

K. F. LARSEN,
Columbia Co. Warren, Oregon.

If you ever bought a box of Witch Hazel Salve that failed to give satisfaction the chances are that it did not have the name "E. C. DeWitt & Co." printed on the wrapper and pressed on the box. The original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve never fails to give satisfaction for burns, sores, boils, tetters, cracked hands etc. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles it affords almost immediate relief. It stops the pain. Sold by
PERRY & GRAHAM.

The State Bank of Rainier has the outer part of its building finished, the roof is on, and the floor is being laid. A vault, 6 x 9 and fire proof, has been constructed with double steel doors. The building is a credit to the town and is a safe index of the stability of the Bank as well as the men who have its affairs in charge.—Rainier Advance.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out.

"Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which quickly developed into the worst kind of grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Eggleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate sneezing, chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, adding the same with a double dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip." Sold by
PERRY & GRAHAM.

A. M. Ayron has appointed H. B. Philips to act as deputy road supervisor in collecting road poll tax, the work being too much for one man. So far the Road Supervisor has been obliged to bring suit against eight men who refused to pay their tax, and in each case the costs were more than the tax. Some men seem to think that the road supervisor is trying to rob them, while he is only doing what the law commands, and what he is under oath to perform.—Rainier Advance.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Makes delicious hot biscuit,
griddle cakes, rolls and muffins.

An absolutely pure, cream of tartar powder.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Proceedings of County Court at Adjourned March Term, 1906.

March 17th 1906, 5th Judicial day.
In the matter of the petition of John and George Wiest for license to sell liquor in Scappoose precinct.

Ordered that license issue for 12 months from March 17th, 1906.

In the matter of the petition of Wm. Fisher to refund taxes paid on lands lying in Wash. Co.

Allowed in sum of \$20.82, clerk to draw warrant on general fund in payment.

In the matter of the apportionment of general road fund to the several road districts

Ordered that the following apportionment be made, and same are hereby made to

Road District	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.	No. 4.	No. 5.	No. 6.	No. 7.	No. 8.	No. 9.	No. 10.	No. 11.	No. 12.	No. 13.	No. 14.	No. 15.
	\$880.58	389.34	1064.00	357.00	751.00	696.00	329.00	454.00	251.00	710.00	313.00	257.00	476.00	513.00	489.00

In the matter of extra help in 14th

County Clerk's office. The county court acting upon the advice of the district attorney are unable to give the clerk the extra help as the clerk thinks necessary, and it is hereby ordered that the clerk be allowed the services of one person as extra help during the period of registration of voters.

In the matter of Sheriff's returns on delinquent roll of 1904

On this day comes the Sheriff and files his return on delinquent roll of 1904 showing amount still delinquent as \$2,322 and amount uncollectable, by reason of lands assessed lying in Washington county \$394.48 and prays the court for an order giving him credit for said uncollectable amount.

And upon the consideration it is ordered that said sheriff's return on 1904 delinquent roll be accepted, that he be given credit for amount shown to be uncollectable.

In the matter of claims against the general fund allowed

The following claims against the general fund were now allowed and the clerk ordered to issue warrants against said fund in payment thereof.

Henry Kratz Sup for Hopkins family	\$28.55
J. M. Blackford J. P. State vs Niemela	4.00
J. L. Campbell Constable same	25.00
Clats Drug Co Medicine for Busset	10.00
Dart & Muckle Sup for county Charge	8.00
James Van, amt overdisbursed as Spyer	1.75
J. B. Godfrey, repayment of fees	5.00
J. Q. Gage, work on crusher	10.00
R. H. Mitchell stationery	8.00
R. H. Mitchell election notices	11.70
Dr. F. W. Wood, Med at Hopkins family	28.75
H. M. Fowler care of John Henry	4.00

In the matter of claims against the general road fund allowed

The following claims against the general fund were now allowed by the court and the clerk ordered to issue warrants on said fund in payment thereof.

R. D. No. 1	
J. B. Dunne	\$15.00
A. H. Larson	5.10
R. D. No. 2	
J. Q. Gage	2.70
R. D. No. 10	
Summit Lumber Co	75.47
Techonor Lumber Co	19.37

Adjourned to April 10, 1906.

April 10th 1906 6th Judicial day.

In the matter of the petition of W. J. Cloninger for a license to sell liquor in Scappoose precinct.

License granted for six months from April 10th, 1906.

In the matter of considering bids and awarding contract for the erection of the proposed new county courthouse.

On this day the court opened and considered all the sealed bids for the erection of the new courthouse heretofore filed with the clerk and it appearing to the court that the bid of F. A. Erickson to-wit \$26,795 is the lowest submitted.

IT IS THEREFORE HEREBY ordered by the court that said bid of said F. A. Erickson be and same is hereby accepted, on condition that said F. A. Erickson enter into a written contract with Columbia County to construct said courthouse building according to the plans and specifications of the architects, and furnish a bond in the sum of \$8,000.00 to be approved and accepted by the county court, and conditioned upon the faithful performance of said contract.

And it is further ordered in this matter that consideration of the bids submitted for supplying the jail work and finishing hardware be and same is hereby postponed to May 2nd, 1906.

In the matter of the applications of J. B. Godfrey and H. B. Nicholas for Quitclaim Deeds to property to which county holds sheriff's deeds for taxes Ordered that deeds issue as applied for.

In the matter of claims against the general fund allowed.

The following claims against the general fund were now allowed and the clerk ordered to issue warrants against said fund in payment thereof.

C. H. Briggs & Sons Sup for Sobest \$20.63 |

Portland Daily Journal, Adv for bids on

courthouse 32.35 |

Glass & Prudhomme Stationery 36.00 |

Irwin Hodson & Co same 34.30 |

W. Bumpgardner attending body of Bird- 5.00 |

sell |

John F. Cheldelin, building bridge across 110.00 |

deer Creek |

Edna Ulrich nursing diphtheria patients 50.00 |

for county Board of Health |

Columbia Register stationery and print- 12.50 |

ing |

Home for the Aged, keep of Mrs. Presler 45.00 |

Thos. B. Bell Supplies for Sumala 7.65 |

Guest Hendrickson, care of same | 20.00 |

E. Merve supplies for McDonald family | 2.10 |

Geo Merrill acting corner, request on | |

J. A. Yarrow | 5.00 |

J. A. Andrews Junior same | 1.00 |

E. White same | 1.00 |

F. H. Dodge same | 1.00 |

J. A. Holiday same | 1.00 |

R. McConachy same | 1.00 |

Ross Enyart same | 1.00 |

H. K. Orr, attendance on diphtheria | 200.00 |

patients | |

L. B. Stuart supplies for county Charge | 30.10 |

A. J. Harding, Sup. for county Charge etc | 24.50 |

M. C. Gray, Sup for courthouse and jail | 40.41 |

Norma Roesch, work in Clerk's office reg- | 3.50 |

istering voters | |

Mildred Grant same | 28.80 |

I. M. Harris same | 10.00 |

W. A. Harris, help in sheriff's office | 26.00 |

M. Fresh, superintending R. D. No 4 | 6.75 |

J. W. Nowles same No 3 | 27.00 |

Casper Label, fittings for rock crusher | 8.82 |

Henrick & Tobey Architects (on acc) | |

courthouse fund | 500.00 |

In the matter of claims against the general road fund allowed

On this day the following claims against the general road fund were examined and allowed by the court and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on said fund in payment thereof.

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4.

Wallace & Concoran | \$24.40 |

C. H. English | 5.45 |

C. Lindbom | 2.25 |

J. A. Yarrow | 10.48 |

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1.

K. H. Bushman | 62.15 |

O. D. Garrison | 5.10 |

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2.

Cal. Powder works | 52.15 |

Warren L. Co | 5.00 |

Warren L. Co | 25.00 |

R. F. Larsen | 7.00 |

H. T. Bennett | 4.00 |

T. Grevell | 10.10 |

A. Freeman | 6.40 |

A. B. Swift | 15.80 |

Gus Isaacson | 7.40 |

H. B. Duncan | 15.80 |

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3.

Elizabeth Marchet | 50.00 |

Robt Jeffries | 12.00 |

A. McIntyre | 12.00 |

J. W. Nowles | 16.65 |

James Rice | 12.00 |

J. A. Wikstrom | 9.00 |

H. Fisher | 4.40 |

James Adams | 145.80 |

Joe Dupont | 1.05 |

P. McIntyre | 4.00 |

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 10.

U. D. Kelly | 9.80 |

Tim Earnest | 25.00 |

Scott Hall | 21.00 |

I. Culbertson | 7.00 |

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 13.

Geo. F. Sher | 12.50 |

The following claims against the several special road tax funds were now allowed and the clerk ordered to draw warrants on the several funds in full payment thereof.

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4.

C. H. English | 29.45 |

C. Lindbom | 53.80 |

N. Antstrom | 11.55 |

Leonard Ward | 9.47 |

Olaf Olsen | 22.82 |

G. Seidel | 5.07 |

M. Fresh | 59.35 |

Albert Mutt | 20.00 |

Alfred Mutt | 2.00 |

Adjourned without day.

It was a new and novel thing for Brother Flagg to start a tract society, but Brother Flagg is not only silent on the local option amendment, but he is receiving the loyal support of the saloon element of the county. What does it all mean?