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County Court Proceedings

Wednesday, Aug. 7, 1912, 4th Judicial Day. Court came pursuant to Adjournment. Officers all present. "Due proclamation being made, the following proceedings were had:

Matter of Seal Bounties Claim: On this day the clerk presents to the court the verified claim of Orville Garrison for \$2.00 for one wild cat; and the court being advised in the matter, it is ordered by the court that said claim be, and the same is hereby approved.

Matter of payment to John Stockenberg. On this day it is ordered by the court that the clerk be, and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant on the General Road Fund, in the sum of \$75.00 in favor of John Stockenberg in accordance with the Report of the Board of County Road Viewers on the Louis Fluhrer Road.

Matter of Payment to Appledale Land Co. On this day it is ordered by the Court that the clerk be, and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant on the General Road Fund, in the sum of \$75.00, in favor of Appledale Land Company, being in payment for certain timber used in road construction in Road District No. 14 and 15.

Whereupon, Court Adjourned until Thursday, Aug. 8, 1912.

Thursday, August 8, 1912, 5th Judicial Day; Court came pursuant to Adjournment; Officers all present; Due proclamation being made, the following proceedings were had: **Matter of Claims against the county:** On this day the claims as docketed in the General Fund Claim and Warrant Register, and the General Road Fund Claim and Warrant Register, were audited and allowed by the court in the various sums as carried out by the court on said Register, being as follows:

	General Fund.
Watts J G Witness State vs Pender	\$7 20
Goin Ada " " " "	2 00
Goin W L " " " "	2 00
Price D W " " " "	3 60
Kasper S Juror	8 80
Foster J W " "	10 60
Anderson Wm " "	4 60
Olsen H M " "	11 40
Fullerton R F " "	3 80
Edmonds Bert " "	9 00
Merill N " "	10 20
Erickson Andrew " "	11 40
Jay P Archibald " "	5 40
Hyde Geo. R " "	4 00
Fay Patrick " "	4 60
Gattens James " "	4 00
Cordes Charles " "	4 00
Johnson Gust A " "	4 00
Johnson Chris & Son Livery hire to Commissioners	15 00
Johnson Chris & Son Livery hire	11 00
Hazen M F J of P State vs Saxton & White	8 90
Thos Isibster Juror " " " "	1 00
Miller H W " " " "	1 00
Harrison P H " " " "	10 00
Abbott Fred " " " "	1 00
Hyde G R " " " "	1 00
Moffett L L " " " "	1 00
Leiferman Hal " " " "	2 90
Colwell John witness " " " "	2 90
Wallis Lewis J " " " "	2 90
Eversaul Elmer " " " "	1 90
Jeffries R C " " " "	2 70
Hazen M F J of P State vs Jones	5 75
Watkins Fred Constable " " "	3 00
Plumer B J Witness " " "	1 50
Hooper W H " " " "	1 50
Hanly H M " " " "	1 50
Hazen M F J of P State vs Saxton	6 30
H Leiferman H Wit " " " "	3 10
Smith Oliver " " " "	3 10
Colwell L H " " " "	3 10
Wallis Lewis J " " " "	3 10
Hazen M F J of P State vs Enyart	6 30
Jasper Chas J Wit " " " "	3 90
Hamill Robert " " " "	3 90
Makinster Bert " " " "	3 90
Makinster Ola " " " "	3 90
Andrew N A " " " "	3 90
Andrew J A " " " "	3 90
Snow J R J of P State vs Mollen	2 80
Campbell J L Constable " " "	3 30
Snow J R J of P State vs McKiel	4 70
Campbell J L Constable " " "	4 20
Berg Lars Witness State vs McKiel	2 10
McKiel Lizzie " " " "	1 50
McKiel Saad " " " "	1 50
Johnson Chris & Son Team to Constable	2 00
Johnson Chris & Son Livery hire to Sheriff	3 00
Ballagh E I Boat hire to Sheriff	10 00
Campbell J L Deputy Sheriff	3 00
Hunt James Work in Sheriff's office	52 50
Thompson A E Sheriff's Exp.	56 60

Lake A B Den Sheriff's " 26 85
Sherwood F H Cor Exam of Lattin 7 80
Foss Dr Edwin Cor Phy for Lattin 5 00
(Continued next week)

Notes from O. A. C.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 10.—A rural conference for the discussion of farm problems is to be held at the Oregon Agricultural College this fall, and a big farmers' excursion to the college will be organized, with special rates from different parts of the state, to enable progressive farmers from the various communities to attend and take part in the program.

All organizations interested in rural life, including all religious denominations and those interested in the country schools and the improvement of the farming communities, are expected to join in thrashing out home, the farm, rural social and economic conditions.

Prof. R. D. Hetzel, director of extension, at the college, has been receiving letters from all sections of the state commending the plan and offering assistance. The railroads will be asked to run excursion trains to bring the farmers and their families to spend a day or more at the college during the conference. The different departments of the college are preparing a large number of exhibits and demonstrations of better methods of agricultural practice and home making, and some of the best speakers and farm experts in the west will be present to lecture.

The date is not yet set, as the college wishes to avoid conflict with other important meetings, but announcement will be made as soon as possible.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 10. Supt. of Schools J. S. Landers of Pendleton was made the first president of the Senior Industrial Educational Association of Oregon, organized at the Oregon Agricultural College for the promotion of industrial education in the schools of the state. Prof. R. D. Hetzel, director of extension at the college, is secretary-treasurer. A chapter is to be established in every county, and the president of each of these will act as a vice-president of the state association and a member of the executive board.

As set forth in the constitution adopted, the purpose of the organization is the promotion of industrial education, including agriculture, domestic science and art, manual training, and kindred subjects in the schools of the state, to the end that the boys and girls may be educated to take an active and effective part in the substantial advancement of the commonwealth. Membership is open to all over 18 years of age who are interested in any form of industrial education, and junior clubs will be formed later on to organize the children so that the work may be carried on to the best advantage.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 10.—A seven-page bulletin, No. 20, on "The Pollination Question" has just come from the press at the Oregon Agricultural College. It was prepared in the experiment station's horticultural research laboratory, and discusses the pollination of apples and pears, setting forth some of the practical results obtained in work throughout the state during several years past. It gives a general phase of orcharding. Another publication will be issued later on, dealing exclusively with the research side of the work.

Experiments on pollination problems of apples and pears in the Rogue River, Willamette, Hood River, and Walla Walla valleys have been in progress for several years. Valuable data has been secured from them, a part of which is used in the bulletin.

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 10.—The best methods of ridding lawns and houses of ants, which frequently become troublesome pests, are described by the crop pest workers of the Oregon Agricultural College, thus:

"Whenever the ants' nest can be located the best means of destruction is to make a hole in the center of it with a crowbar or similar instrument, pour into it one or two ounces of bisulphide of carbon, tamp the soil back into the hole and throw a heavy blanket over the nest

to hold in the fumes of the bisulphide. "To destroy ants in this case a mixture of three grains of tartar emetic and four ounces of syrup should be smeared over bits of china or chips and placed in the ants' runway. It is especially good as a remedy because it will not kill the ants immediately. They carry the mixture to their nest and feed the larvae upon it, and thus kill out the entire colony."

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Ore., Aug. 10.—"I have been unable to learn of any school of note in the United States which has made as large a percentage of increase during the past three years as has the Oregon Agricultural College," says Registrar H. M. Tennant in a statistical report which he has just prepared.

The report shows the enrollment of students for the year 1906-7 to have been 833; for the succeeding four years respectively 1,156; 1,351; 1,591, and 1,778; while the year just closed showed a total enrollment of 2,868. These figures do not include any duplication of students enrolled in two or more different departments, as the music and domestic science for example.

"In 1910-11, says Mr. Tennant, 'the total registration was 1,778; during the past year the registration in the school of Agriculture alone, excluding all duplicates, was just 43 less than the above mentioned total. While this comparison considers winter short course students, the increase in the number of regular students is correspondingly as large. Excluding all winter-short course students and all dupliants for the year 1911-12, the increase in school of agriculture alone for regular students was 78 per cent. At the same time that the registration has so greatly increased, the general average in scholarship has been materially raised."

All counties in Oregon but one were represented in the past year's enrollment, besides 36 other states and territories and 8 foreign countries. The statistics showing the comparative representation of the sons and daughters of farmers and of men of other vocations are interesting. Those who came from farm homes constituted 46 per cent of the student body, while 54 per cent came from cities, towns and villages.

It is a significant fact that out of a total of 1,051 (which excludes the short course students and those in the school of music) the large majority were either earning their expenses or contributing toward the necessary sum by working in some of a large number of occupations outside their study hours. There were 253 who earned every cent they spent, and 160 more who earned half their money, while 243 more were partially self supporting, making a total of 656, compared with 395 whose parents provided their entire funds.

A class of 124 students completed their studies in June, and two more satisfied the requirements for advanced degrees.

BRIEF NEWS OF OREGON

Actual construction of the Carnegie library building at Dallas has begun on the site of the former city hall. The building is to cost \$10,000.

Ben Selling, republican nominee for United States senator, has issued a statement indorsing President Taft and other nominees on the ticket.

The most elaborate and costly street decorations ever exhibited in eastern Oregon will adorn the streets of Pendleton at the coming Round-Up. The chamber of commerce of Portland, with 900 members, has been elected to membership in the chamber of commerce of the United States of America.

Construction of the Oregon Electric extension from Albany to Eugene is being hastened with all possible speed and it is hoped to have the line ready for operation October 15.

Burns, the metropolis of Harney county, is all agog over the reported finding of oil on the property of the Pacific Livestock company, located a few miles southwest of Burns.

Miss Helen Bollinger, of Oregon City, who is passing the summer at Camp Bolonia, on the Clackamas river, has received notice of her appointment to the chair of Latin in the Hillsboro high school.

The Oregon Association for Highway Improvement must seek another president. Carlos T. Prall has resigned. He has become manager of the Eastern Oregon Land company, and will hereafter reside in Ontario. After knocking down T. B. Young, an Albany painter, for making a statement that he had been seen drunk on the street, Ellis Daugherty, chief of police of Albany, pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and paid a fine of \$5. In an endeavor to rid the prison of

disease, Dr. Calvin S. White, secretary of the state board of health, put before Governor West a plan for treatment of afflicted convicts and the governor has agreed to allow the plan of treatment to be carried out.

General crop conditions throughout Umatilla county have never been better than this season. Approximately 6,000,000 bushels of wheat will be harvested, with a steady price between 70 and 72 cents per bushel being offered.

The big prune packing plant of the J. K. Arnsby Co., being built in Dallas, is nearing completion, and the work of installing the machinery will begin within a few days. When completed this plant will be the largest in the west.

Whales in profusion, in their annual cruise up the coast, are making their summer visit to Clatsop beach, and furnishing vast entertainment to the strangers on shore. Easterners are especially interested in the clumsy antics of the huge amphibians.

Declaring that the action of the general staff in disbanding the Second Battalion, Third Infantry, O. N. G., was ill advised and hasty, and charging that the step was taken to prevent them from securing a fair hearing, officers of the battalion are considering recourse to the courts.

The money is up and the surveys made for carrying out a project tributary to Union that will be of great value to that city. The project involves the purchase of a tract of 1600 acres of land about 12 miles from Union, where a reservoir will be constructed on Catherine creek.

Lyle Perrine, the Roseburg boy who shot and killed Jonathan Quick, an aged man at Brandon, was taken before County Judge Hall in the juvenile court at Coquille, and was declared a delinquent minor and was placed in the custody of his father until further order of the court.

Word has been received at Condon that the local postmaster, J. F. Reischer, is to be removed from office on account of unfair treatment to patrons in his office. The charge in particular was that he suppressed the editions of the Condon Globe at two different times and with malicious intent.

Declaring that the practice followed by railroads of the state of running passenger trains backwards in order to avoid the expense of installing turntables is responsible for a large number of recent wrecks, Railroad Commissioner Miller declares that, unless the railroad companies abandon the practice, action will be taken against them by the commission.

Despite the warnings that the government and state authorities have given the people that any attempt to sell rights in the Oregon and California railroad grant land is fraudulent, in that the so-called company's claim to the land is not admitted, the Jackson county recorder's office is receiving 10 to 20 applications daily to file on the contested land should the railroad company lose in the suit.

Roseburg lodge of Elks wants the national home to be built by that order located in Roseburg, and has adopted resolutions setting forth the climatic and other advantages existing there which make Roseburg an ideal site for the home. The resolution will be forwarded to the committee to which the matter of selecting a location was referred at the last annual convention.

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HOULTON CIRCLE NO 478, Women of Woodcraft, meets the second and fourth Tuesday afternoon of each month at Houlton, Ore. Minnie Kelly Guardian, Neighbor, Minnie A. Carley Clerk.

Columbia Encampment No. 77, I. O. O. F. meets in the I. O. O. F. Hall, on the second and fourth Thursday of each month, sojourning Patriarchs most cordially invited to meet with us.
Chas. Spinner, Chief Patriarch.
C. W. Blackley, Scribe.

COLUMBIA HOMESTEAD No. 2456, Brotherhood of American Yeomen, meets the second and fourth Wednesday night of each month at Yamston, Ore. Visiting members welcome.
E. S. HUSON, Honorable Foreman.
C. E. LAKE, Correspondent.

MIZPAH CHAPTER, NO. 50, O. E. S. Meets in Masonic Hall the second and fourth Saturday of each month.
GETRUDE COLLINS, W. M.
LUCY GRAY, Secretary.

St. Helens Lodge No. 171, I. O. O. F. meets in the I. O. O. F. building on the second and fourth Saturdays of each month, visiting members are always given a hearty welcome.
W. A. McIntire, S. G.
C. W. Blackley, Sec.

Avon Lodge No 62 Knights of Pythias meets every Tuesday Evening in Castle Hall, St. Helens. Visiting Knights always welcome.
Fred Watkins, C. C.
F. A. George, K. of R. & S.

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DATES OF SALE
July, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, 1912
August, 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 12, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30, 31, 1912
September, 4, 5, 6, 7, 11, 12, 30, 1912
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