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COUNTY COURT'S ATTENTION CALLED TO ROAD MATTERS

One of Cove's Leading Citizens would have some Vital questions Answered

Cove, Ore., March 4, 1906.
To the Honorable County Court of Union County, Oregon:

In order to ask intelligently if it will be necessary to make some explanations. We live in a part of the county where the main industry is fruit growing, and where good roads are of the utmost importance; as one rock or chuck hole may cause the loss of many dollars' worth of fruit in one season or even on one load.

This applies more particularly to the eastern half of District No. 25, but if it fits any other part of the county, they are welcome to use it.

Now the people here are as a rule, all good first class citizens, willing to do their part in making good roads. Now the situation happens to be this: During the year 1905 the eastern half of this district has had almost absolutely no work at all. And very few of our people have been asked for work or money. Of the first sixteen men I met of working age and property owners, one had been asked to work and had worked, two had been told to go and work when they got ready, but neither had ever got ready, the other thirteen had never been spoken to about roads. And a former road overseer who is well acquainted with all the people, makes an estimate that this district has lost (by failure to work) about three hundred dollars, last season (1905), unless it can still be collected. And even then quite a number have moved away, three of whom I know lived within one half mile of my house, which would be nine dollars which is absolutely lost.

Now Honorable County Court, why is this condition allowed to exist? Also if all this work or money which is reported delinquent cannot be collected, who will refund to this district or to the county all this loss? Now Honorable County Court you were notified as to the above conditions at the January term of court, and still you reappointed the same road overseer, and I have been told, against his will. Does that imply that you are perfectly satisfied with conditions here?

It seems to be a mooted question as to whether road poll tax can be collected when due. If it cannot then we are left three hundred dollars short with bad roads and water following center of roads down these side hills and a general bad state of affairs. But if it can and is collected, then is it not an imposition on the people to force them to do two years work in one, or pay double when they were ready and willing to work? Also is it not a waste of time and money to let the roads go over a year? Does not the maxim "a stitch in time saves nine" apply here? Of course we understand that the court desires us to ask by petition for whom we want for overseer. We will admit that the law is bad and that they should be elected. But as it is, is it not a fact that the court has been entrusted with the business for the people? If we could by public meetings or otherwise look after all our business we would have no need of a county court.

I would also ask the Hon. County Court in regard to another matter. At the close of the season of road work in 1904, you were handed with the out-

going road overseers report: a list of petitioners for a new road in this district, about one half of whom had worked a day on said road, and next spring when we desired the others to work, we were notified that the list, while in your possession, had been lost.

Then when I notified the court and also our overseer that I could name a majority of those who signed the petition, and who would not deny their names or refuse to work, also a number who had agreed to volunteer a days work, and asked that they be worked, the matter was simply ignored.

Now Hon. County Court, who pays for this loss? Probably \$30 or \$40 worth of work which should have been placed on this new road.

Again I ask, while we are using a half-finished road, who pays for the loss? Then I will further ask the Hon. County Court, who is to blame for the loss of that list which cost us so dear? If no one is to blame I would ask if the Hon. County Court recommend that an office be created, and some trustworthy person be elected to take care of important papers and documents that may come in possession of the Hon. County Court, and that he be responsible under bond and draw a salary from the county? Now Hon. County Court, we do not wish to convey any disrespect in the slightest degree. But being a law abiding and a good roads loving people, all we ask is a "square deal." This court has done so many good things and on the whole has done so extremely well, that it seems ungrateful to say anything to the contrary.

We would not have you take the foregoing as a "kick," but as something worthy your notice and correction. The people in our district are not kickers, but they prefer to follow the example of the late President McKinley, who "never scolded a servant for non-performance of duty, but simply never asked that servant to do anything for him again."

With all due respect, I am, most sincerely yours,
O. B. SHAPPAT,
Cove, Oregon.

The above is written in behalf of quite a number of citizens of District No. 25. Published by courtesy of the OBSERVER.

Appropos of the above we would very respectfully ask the February Grand Jury, but more especially the foreman, (as he is also a road overseer) a question. We noticed in your report you advise the County Court to buy rock crushers, and build roads only with crushed rock. That to use shell rock or wash gravel is a waste of peoples' money.

Now Hon. Grand Jury, now many years will it take to macadam the roads of the county with crushed rock? I hear you say from 15 to 50 years. Well what shall we do while we are waiting for this crushed rock? What shall we do with mud holes that continually get deeper, and gullies down these foot hills continually get deeper. Shall we wait for the crushed rock? And will the Hon. Grand Jury advise us while we wait to pray?

Very Respectfully,
O. B. SHAPPAT.

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That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice endorse and recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, liver complaint, torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections, and their resultants, as bronchitis, throat and lung diseases (except consumption) accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherry bark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandrake root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as eminent Prof. Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare, of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

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There will be an auction sale at my place three miles east of Alice on Wednesday March 14, at 9 o'clock, when the following described property will be offered for sale:

Four head work mares, three geldings, four three-year old mares, one two-year colt, six milch cows, four yearling calves, one bull, one header and derrick, one hay buck, one chopper, one fan mill, two gang plows, one sulky 16-inch plow, one walking plow, one mowing machine, two hay racks, one three section harrow, one cultivator, one garden drill, two wagons, one hack, two buggies, one set buggy harness, one set single harness, five sets work harness, three saddles, two pairs of chaps, one set of hack harness, one Jackson fork, one organ, four bedroom suits, one dining table, one cook table, two heating and one cook stove, one center table, one couch, three rocking chairs, other chairs, one churn, one sewing machine, one safe, one lard kettle and stove, four sets dishes, two rifles and other articles too numerous to mention.

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Notice is hereby given that the partnership firm of Drs. Biggers and Biggers is this day dissolved by mutual consent Dr. G. W. Biggers retiring from the firm. The business of the office will hereafter be conducted by Dr. G. L. Biggers. All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to call at the office and settle the same at once.
G. W. BIGGERS.
G. L. BIGGERS.
Dated Dec. 4 '06.

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Blood poison creeps up toward the heart, causing death. J. E. Stearns, Belle Plaine, Minn., writes that a friend dreadfully injured his hand, which swelled up like blood poisoning. Bucklen's Arnica Salve drew out the poison, healed the wound, and saved his life. Best in the world for burns and sores 25c at Newlin's Drug Store.

NOTICE STOCKHOLDERS MEETING
The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the La Grande Irrigation Co. will be held Monday April 2d 1906 at 2 o'clock p. m. at the parlors of the Commercial Club for the purpose of electing Directors and other business that may legally come before said meeting.
WM SARGENT, Sec't

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This drug store tries to serve every customer so well that they will not think of going elsewhere for drug store goods.
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